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COL. AND MRS. CHARLES LINDBERGH FLY ACROSS SOUTH ATLANTIC

U.S. RAILROADS' INCOME RISES

50 Per Cent Increase For First Ten Months' Of 1933

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

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Washington, To-day.

The United States railroads have reported that for the first 10 months of 1933 the net operating income was U.S.\$398,238,658 as compared with U.S.\$260,616,478 for the corresponding period of 1932. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

U.S. LEAVES GOLD PRICE UNCHANGED

TO STABILISE BOND MARKET.

ROOSEVELT WILL NOT WEAKEN SECURITIES

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Washington, To-day.

The White House has stated that President Roosevelt does not intend weakening the United States Securities Act in any way.

The Acting-Secretary of the United States Treasury, Mr. Henry Morgenthau, has announced that he has refunded more than U.S.\$900,000,000 out of the U.S.\$1,875,000,000 Fourth Liberty Bond issue.

The gold price has been left unchanged in an effort to stabilize the Government bond market. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

HIGHER TAXES IN 1934?

But Business Reports Are Favourable.

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New York, To-day.

Traders are optimistic, due to better dividends and earnings, continued favourable business report, the strength of railroad stocks and the steadiness of commodities.

Unfavourable factors to be included are the prospects of high taxes in 1934, despite the increased liquor revenue, and the uncertainty regarding possible bank and Stock Exchange legislation.

Strengthening Banking Structure

It is announced that the National City Bank is selling \$50,000,000 preferred stock to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, in support of President Roosevelt's plan to strengthen the banking structure through Federal Purchase Bank securities.

It is also announced that the Bank is decreasing its common stock from \$124,000,000 to \$77,500,000 by changing the par value from \$20 to \$12.50 without changing the number of shares outstanding. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

FROST AGAIN HOLDS UP RUGBY

London, To-day.

Two County Rugby matches were postponed yesterday owing to frost. This is the second day in succession that matches have been cancelled because of the weather. The two matches were Eastern Counties v Hampshire at Colchester and Middlesex v Sussex. — Reuter.

BRILLIANT FLIGHT TO BRAZIL

IN WIRELESS CONTACT ALL THE WAY

LINDBERGH GRATIFIED BY PLANE'S PERFORMANCE

PORT NATAL, BRAZIL, To-day.

COLONEL AND MRS. CHARLES A. LINDBERGH HAVE ADDED TO THEIR LONG LIST OF RECORD FLIGHTS BY A BRILLIANT CROSSING OF THE SOUTHERN ATLANTIC IN THEIR GIANT MONOPLANE.

The route taken by the famous American pilots from Bathurst, Gambia, to Port Natal, Brazil, was approximately 1,700 miles. No time was mentioned in the cable but the flight took from 17 to 20 hours. Mrs. Lindbergh is the first woman to cross the southern Atlantic by air.

After crossing the north Atlantic by way of Greenland and Iceland early in the summer, the Lindberghs, who are surveying the Atlantic for possible air services, toured Europe in their plane. During the last few weeks they have visited the Azores, Madeira, and the Canary Islands. They will fly from Port Natal to New York, probably by easy stages.

Taking off from Bathurst, Gambia, the British Colony on the west coast of Africa, at 2 a.m. yesterday, the Lindberghs flew in a south-westerly direction, crossing the Equator before landing at Port Natal, Brazil, where a landing place had been prepared.

The flyers received an enthusiastic welcome from Government representatives and a crowd including the full force of American stations.

Mrs. Lindbergh, laden with flowers from admirers, said that she was pleased to be the first woman to fly the South Atlantic.

The flight was helped by the trade winds and Col. Lindbergh was most gratified with the performance of his machine and the success of the wireless arrangements by which he kept in constant communication with South American stations.

The Lindberghs are staying at the British Consulate and have refused to participate in the celebrations, preferring to rest after the strain of the flight. — Reuter.

They had originally planned to make their Atlantic hop from Dakar, in French West Africa, but owing to an epidemic of yellow fever, they were forced to abandon their plan. He later sent a wireless message to asking for landing preparations to be made at St. Louis, Senegal, but this plan was also abandoned.

JAPANESE TRADE COMPETITION

Effect On Colonial Markets.

HOME GOVERNMENT ACTIVELY CONSIDERING QUESTION

London, To-day.

Colonel Colville, speaking for the Board of Trade, said in the House of Commons yesterday that he had received reports of competition from Japan in various Colonial markets, affecting a number of United Kingdom manufacturers other than cotton textiles.

These included asbestos, cement sheets, cement made up, cotton goods and rayon goods, cycles and cycle parts, galvanized iron sheets, hardware, felt hats, pottery and tiles, rubber footwear, soap and sugar.

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The President of the Spanish Republic visits the Spanish Protectorate of Morocco in Northern Africa. President Alcalá Zamora with the Chief of the Protectorate driving past the Puerta de la Reina in Tetuan, where crowds of Arabs and others waited to welcome them. Note the veiled women in the background.

MRS. HUNTER'S BOY ARRESTED

Brought To Hong Kong Last Night.

TO APPEAR AT KOWLOON COURT TO-MORROW

Tong Wing-kwok, the young house-boy who disappeared last Thursday afternoon after making a savage attack on Mrs. H. J. Hunter at 58A, Nathan Road, where he was employed, was arrested in his native village of Mun Tong, in the Yan Ping district, about 100 miles inland from Kowloon, and brought to Hong Kong late last night.

It is understood that the prisoner will be charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy to-morrow morning.

No statement has yet been taken from the arrested man, a China Mail representative was informed by Sub-Inspector Rosekwy at the Water Police Station this morning.

Mrs. Hunter the victim of the attack, has made rapid progress and her condition this morning was

stated to be very satisfactory.

A police reward of \$250 was offered for the arrest of Tong Wing-kwok, who is said to be about 20 years of age.

EMPIRE DEFENCE SERVICES

Patriotic Gift From Pacific-Colony.

London, To-day.

The Government of the Gilbert and Ellice Islands Colony, which comprises a group of small islands in the Western Pacific, with a total population of 34,000, has offered a sum of \$750 as a contribution towards the cost of the defence services of the Empire.

The offer has been gratefully accepted, and the High Commissioner for the Western Pacific has been asked to convey to the Colony the sincere appreciation of His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom. — British Wireless Service.

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POPE PIUS TO CREATE SEVEN NEW CARDINALS

Archbishop Constantini May Be Honored

Vatican City, To-day.

It is stated that His Holiness the Pope will create some seven new Cardinals before the conclusion of the Holy Year.

These will probably include Monsignor Constantini, who was until recently Apostolic Delegate in China. — Reuter.

ROOSEVELT STILL SILENT

No Mention Of Monetary Policy.

BUSINESS MEN URGE NEW GOLD BASIS

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Washington, To-day.

President Roosevelt's policy speech last night did not mention monetary matters. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

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Sacramento, Yesterday.

The Western Division of the United States Chamber of Commerce to-day passed a resolution urging President Roosevelt to establish a new gold basis as soon as possible and then return to the gold standard. — United Press, per S. C. Gold Bar Co.

ROOSEVELT'S NEW CREATION

National Emergency Council Appointed.

TO CENTRALISE INFORMATION

Washington, To-day.

President Roosevelt has created a National Emergency Council, charged with centralising information and co-ordinating the activities of the various Governmental agencies.

The council is made up of:

Mr. Harold L. Ickes, Secretary of Interior.

Mr. Henry A. Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture.

Mr. Daniel C. Roper, Secretary of Commerce, and

Miss Frances Perkins, Secretary of Labour.

Mr. Frank Walker, executive secretary of the Recovery Council, has been appointed Director of the new Committee. — Reuter.

STOP PRESS

WINTER IN HOSPITAL

Dr. J. T. Smalley, Medical Officer of the Kowloon Hospital informed the China Mail that Corporal Winter is suffering from multiple injuries, but that his condition is not serious.

The re-financing plan does not mention the U. S. \$1,000,000,000 Fourth Liberty Bond issue, which is still outstanding and for which a bond issue in exchange is expected soon. — Reuter.

GENTLEMEN'S HIGH GRADE OUTFITTING

AT HOME PRICES

BERNARDS' OF HARWICH

CHATER ROAD,

HONG KONG.

R.A.F. PLANE CRASHES AT SAN TIN

CORPORAL INJURED; PILOT UNHURT.

PLANE DOWN NEAR BORDER THIS MORNING

Three members of the Royal Air Force, stationed in Hong Kong, had a fortunate escape from death this morning, when the plane in which they were flying came down on the border.

The accident occurred at 10.30 a.m. at San Tin Village, in the Lok Ma Chau police district. Two of the occupants escaped uninjured, while another was hurt. The extent of his injuries is, however, not yet known.

Whether the plane crashed or was damaged in making a forced landing is uncertain, as the Air Force authorities at Kai Tak declined to verify or contradict the report.

The officer in charge of the Lok Ma Chau police station was not at the station at the time of the accident and is unable to supply details.

It is learned that the injured man is Corporal Winter, who is attached to the Kai Tak air base. His injuries are stated to be slight.

The other two occupants were officers, the pilot and the observer.

It is understood that the plane was one of the large type bombers attached to the aircraft carrier, H.M.S. Eagle, which are now stationed at Kai Tak aerodrome.

Lok Ma Chau is a frontier district of the New Territory, between Fanling and Un Long, reached by a byway from the main road. The police station lies on the Chinese border.

The last R. A. F. accident occurred on November 22, when a naval seaplane crashed when about to land at Kai Tak Aerodrome. The plane was badly damaged but there were no casualties.

DISSENTION IN U.S. TREASURY

Slighted Assistant May Resign.

NEW, HUGE DEBT ISSUE

Washington, To-day.

Dissension has again flared up in the United States Treasury.

The Acting-Secretary, Mr. Henry Morgenthau has removed the Internal Revenue Bureau from the authority of Mr. Hewes, the Assistant Secretary, who is expected to resign unless President Roosevelt intervenes to restore harmony.

The Treasury has announced the issue of U. S. \$950,000,000 worth of certificates of indebtedness dated December 16, bearing interest of 2½ per cent, and maturing on December 15, 1934, to meet the obligations falling due on December 16, namely, U. S. \$478,328,000 bearing 4½ per cent interest and U. S. \$254,584,000 at ½ per cent interest.

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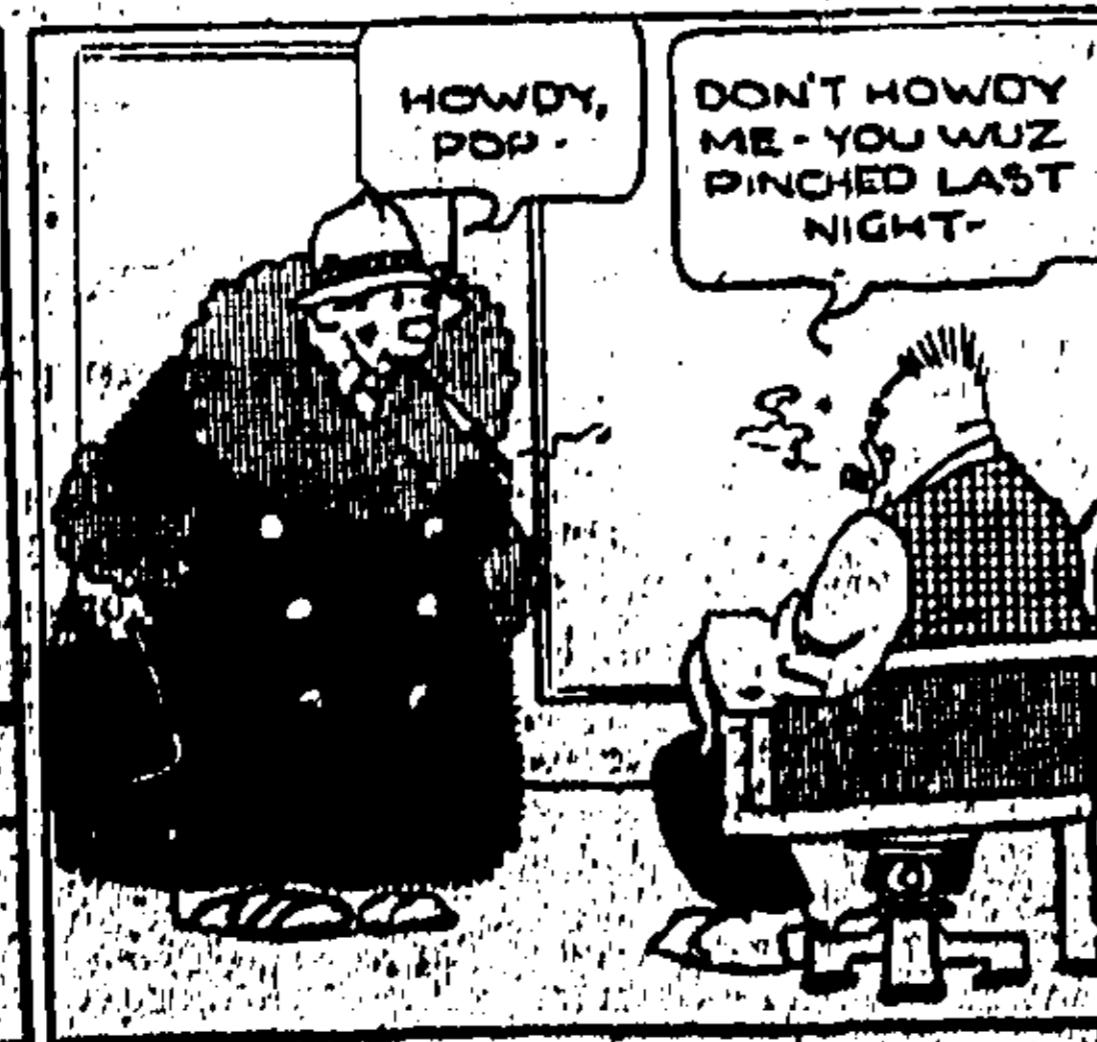
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Soft Fabrics For Autumn Coats

Fur Yokes Will Be Fashionable.

LARGE BUTTONS



more at home in the ordinary well-shaped shoulders, which are gradually returning to favour.

Upstanding fins extending from the neckline to the elbow are an unusual idea for giving a coat an ultra-smart look.

New Necklines

Many necklines are square and high up round the throat. With these a scarf is worn, with the ends tucked inside. Another idea is a knitted collar in wide ribbing a stitch which turns down in the polo collar fashion. Big gauntlet cuffs in the same stitch finish the knitwear ensemble.

Scarf collars are put on so that the ends are twisted round the back, then brought forward and buttoned in the front of the shoulder with four buttons on each side. Revers are wide and cut square.

Sleeves, except for a few cartridge pleats at the shoulder, or a ornamented with piping and pink-tucks, are perfectly straight.

But it's the fastenings that I find really exciting. No plain buttons, please! You must hunt around until you find some huge bone buttons as big as coffee beans, or a tortoiseshell bar three inches long, or some glass buttons as big as pigeons' eggs, then you will be really in the mode.

Ornamental Links

Fastenings are placed close together at the top of the yoke, and nothing is smarter than link buttons looped together with pieces of fabric. For this purpose stamped leather buttons will be seen a lot.

You may have a belt or not, just as you like. Most models, however, are made without a belt, unless this is of a fancy nature, and a definite ornament to the coat.

Brightly coloured leather, with squares cut out of it so that it resembles a ladder.

Leather piped to look like feathers. Solid pieces of flexible chromium that wind round the waist without a buckle or fastening of any kind. Intricate steel chains or thick pieces of piping bound together. These are just a few of the different types of belts.

A naval influence is creeping into the fashions for autumn. One coat shown recently had padded shoulder epaulettes running round the join of sleeve and shoulder.

Four chromium buttons placed above the waist to give a double-breasted effect and the coat looked just as if it had stepped off the bridge of a destroyer.

NOTES FROM PARIS ATELIERS

Simple Silhouette, Normal Waistlines.

LUXURIOUS FABRICS GIVE NOTE OF RICHNESS

Schiaparelli's establishment was bristling with excitement when she showed her latest ideas. Her new silhouette is extremely simple. Skirts are slim and straight, with waistlines and skirt lines normal. She retains her wide-at-the-top silhouette, believing it to be the expression of the modern woman.

Bodies are nearer perfection than ever before, according to this artist, as clothes have not to hide quite so many faults. The result is a great simplicity. Luxurious fabrics bring their note of splendour time as well as evening clothes.

Black Is Favourite

Black is first favourite for both daytime and evening, with touches of sky, llama, cathay and ombre blue, dashing Chinese reds, one very vivid (Peiping) and the other a dark and dull shade (Betel) with a generous sprinkling of beige, brown and granite grays.

Molyneux continues to stress the fitted hipline silhouette throughout his collection. His day clothes are slim, with the waistline normal, and skirt hems reasonably long, essentially quiet and distinguished in their colouring, line and fur trimming.

Deep Blues In Vogue

Black is replaced by a deep, almost navy, blue and furs are dyed the same colour. All Rochas sports things are fashioned of fancy fabrics and sometimes combine two such unusual colour as a red and white diagonal striped lamé trimmed with navy blue dress. Green, gray and brown are also featured.

Afternoon dresses are either novel buttons, belts and hats or black or navy blue, and startlingly company them. Rochas launches a new fur called "sky cigarette" which is fox with supple white cigarette put in the manner of the white bristle in pointed fox.

How To Remove Iron-Mould

Adhesive tape used for strapping cuts, etc., can be used successfully for mending a rent in a macintosh. Draw the torn edges together, place a strip of the tape over them on the wrong side, and press gently with a warm iron. If done carefully, this makes a very neat join.

Ornamental Links

White furs are always at their best on evening wraps. Ermine is regal in the very tip, and nothing could be more classically beautiful. However, there are many white furs of less forbidding extravagance. White fox is a precious fur that has quality, intrinsic value and flattering smartness to recommend it in lieu of ermine for the very young; but it costs considerably more than the proverbial song!

White furs, however, are available for the Budget Conscious and are really lovely in hare, sheared lapin and bunny fur. They are soft, flattering and wear extremely well.

Spectator Coat



The fashionised tweed coat is finding favour with many football fans this season. Here is Joan Muir, screen player, wearing a model of tan and brown moulded tweed. The coat is simply tailored with a slight puff at the elbow. The collar is of lynx fur.

THE HONG KONG

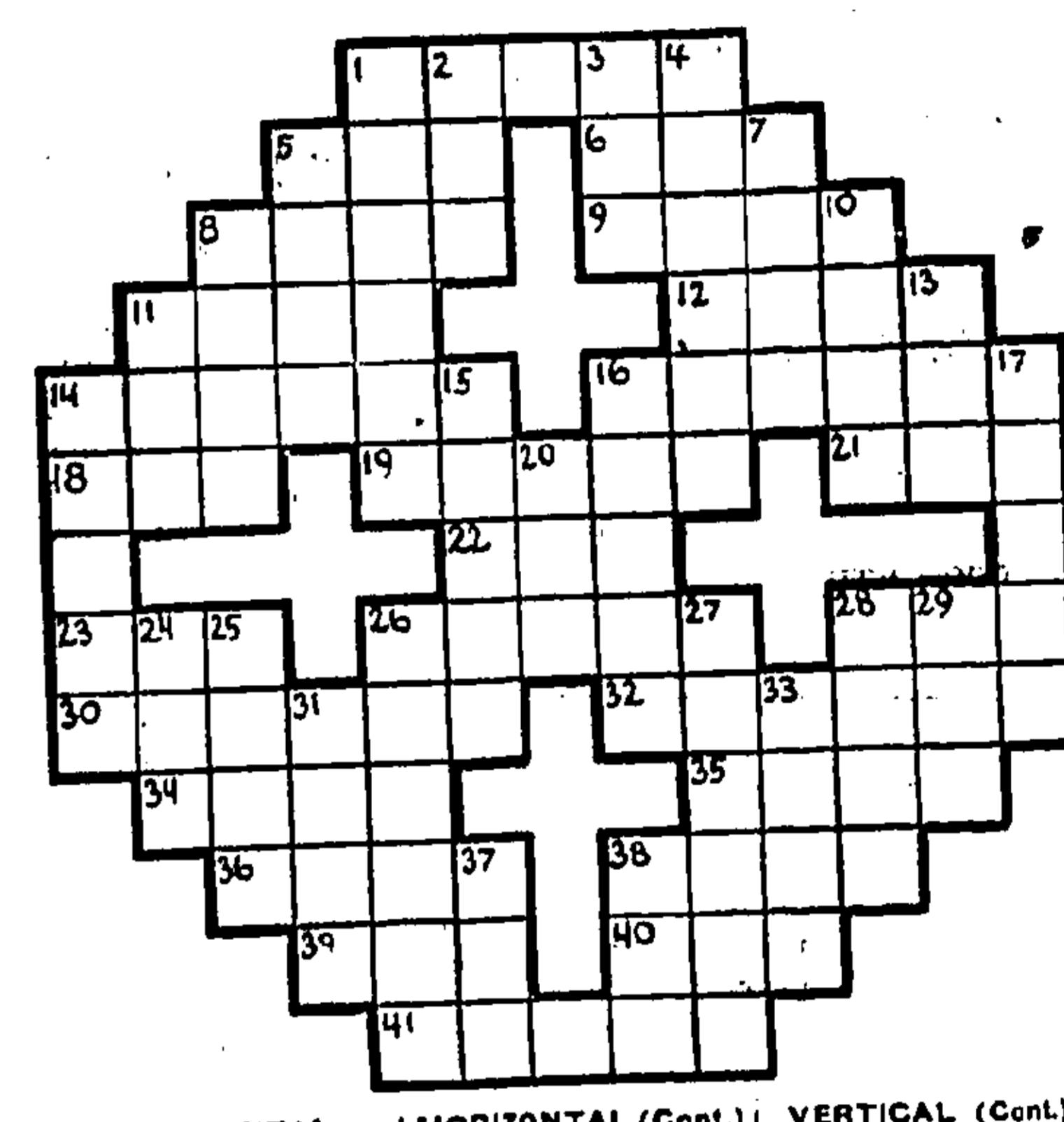
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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE.

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



WHITE FUR BEST IN EVENING.

Expensive And Cheap Varieties.



HORIZONTAL (Cont.)		VERTICAL (Cont.)	
1-Mad	35-Abto	11-A marsh	33-A period of life
6-Writing implement	36-A gull-like bird	12-One of the lower animals	34-Animals
8-Lace fabric	38-To boil slowly	13-Ravens	35-Decay
9-Church festival	39-Place	14-Prevent from acting	36-Raw meat
10-Part of the leg	40-Territory (abbr.)	15-Not at any time	37-Vessel
11-A measure of length	41-Used needles and thread	16-From acting	38-Musical dramas
12-Girl's name	14-Project	17-Not at any time	39-Duck-like water bird
13-Porter	15-Terminate	18-Not at any time	40-Ever (Poet.)
14-Porter	19-Venturer	19-Born	41-Same as Ouse
15-Project	20-In no manner	21-Wisp	33-Afternoon parties
16-Terminate	23-Wesp	22-Fur-bearing animal	34-Comfort
17-Project	24-Lobk	25-English noble	35-Island (Poet.)
18-Terminate	26-Wanderer	27-Afternoon parties	36-Saints (abbr.)
19-Venturer	28-Wanderer	29-English noble	37-A broad, as of pheasants
21-Born	30-Armis	31-A metal	38-Saints (abbr.)
22-In no manner	32-Wanderer	33-Open	
23-Wesp	34-Comfort	34-Open	
24-Lobk			
25-Fur-bearing animal			
26-Wanderer			
27-English noble			
28-Wanderer			
29-English noble			
30-Armis			
32-Wanderer			
34-Comfort			

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

MENDING A "MAC"

A captain way of removing iron-mould is to damp the article and spread thickly with cream of tartar, roll up to keep it over the spots, put into cold water and bring to the boil. Leave five minutes, then rinse first in warm water and then in cold. If very long standing, repeat once more, but this is seldom needed.

ROSE PINK RETURNS TO FAVOUR

Rose pink is coming back to favour for lingerie. It used to be thought too crude, but now it is becoming the chosen companion for platinum grey lace.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION	
MEMP	SHEAF
ARTIA	PRINCE
TINTS	LAUNCELOT
SETTLERS	ANTANTS
DAIS	RANGE
SCORNS	ROTATION
NOMAD	SANER
ARIL	BAR
RET	APRIC
ESSENCES	ALLEG
DIAMON	SPEEDS
RAGGED	DRESSERS
ETAP	ITEM
METACRITIC	HONEY
GADS	STANG
GNAM	

Hats to wear at night—at theatres, dances, restaurants—anywhere, are light toques of crocheted chenille thread with rolled bands of red velvet circling the crown, and there are many bonnets with small shoulder capes of match.

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Upon presentation at the office of the Company of Bankers' receipt for the payment of such Call, together with the Certificate of Shares, a note of the payment will be endorsed on the Certificate.

Dated this 21st day of September, 1933.

By Order of the Board,
ALLAN KEITH,
Secretary.

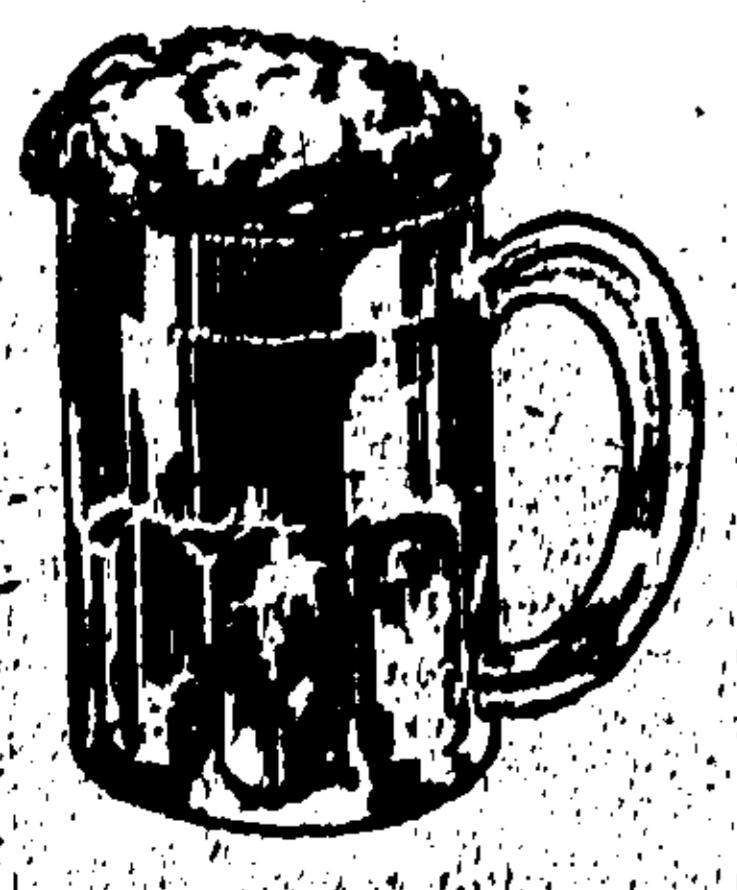
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SPORT NOTICES.**BOXING****LEE THEATRE**

SATURDAY, 9th DEC., 1933,
at 9.15 p.m.

15 ROUND CONTEST
For the Middle Weight Championship
of the Colony and Belt

A.B. EWIN
H.M.S. "KENT"
Holder and Champion of the China
Fleet and Winner of over 150 fights
in England

v.
A.B. FRAGGOTT
H.M.S. "BERWICK"
Welter Weight Champion of West of
England, Atlantic Fleet Champion
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8 ROUND WELTER WEIGHT
CONTEST
A.B. BARRY
H.M.S. "BERWICK"
Light Weight Champion West of Eng-
land, R.N. & E.M. Champion 1931.

v.
A.B. PARKER
H.M.S. "MEDWAY"
Runner up Atlantic Fleet Welter
Weight Champion.
Lost to A.B. Fraggott

8 ROUND HEAVY WEIGHT
CONTEST
A.B. TIM FOLEY
H.M.S. "BERWICK"
Heavy Weight Champion of
the Colony 1933.

v.
A.B. JUDGE
H.M.S. "WHITSHED"
Light Heavy Weight Champion,
China Fleet, 1933.

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Obliging Ex-Wife**BRIDGE NOTES****CONTRACT BRIDGE****BY ANCHORITE**

V

(This series of articles is based
on Culbertson's system of bidding).

Trick Valuation

The valuation of the hand at a trump bid depends not only upon the honour tricks. On account of the powerful protection of trumps in both Declarer's and Dummy's hands, low cards in long and short suits acquire a definite trick value.

In order to obtain the exact value of the hand, it is therefore necessary to count each of the three kinds of tricks (honours, and low card tricks in long and short units) separately in each suit. The expected number of tricks in any four card suit is made up of honour tricks and establishable low card tricks.

In a hand like Ace, King, 9, 6, 5, 2, two tricks are won with honours (Ace and King), one trick will be lost against the Queen, after which the three remaining low cards will be established in all five tricks.

From this it is easily understood that low card tricks depend upon the distribution of the remaining cards of that suit. In the other three hands, it is, however, never wise to depend on average distribution.

When a split is bid as trump, partner is in a position to show whether his cards are favourably or unfavourably distributed, by either assisting or denying the bid suit, which will give Declarer a clear conception as to the distribution of the combined hands. This is the reason why low cards in long suits in trumps are given double the value of the low cards in side suits, until partner denies adequate trump support.

Low Cards

Under the protection of trumps, low cards in side suits will generally develop tricks, the value of which must be taken into consideration in order to arrive at a successful game or slam-contract.

As the opening hand for a "One" bid, count only honour tricks. If supported by partner the valuation of long suit tricks in the opening hand is as follows:—

In trump In side suit Suits (trick) (trick)

A four card length is worth 1 ½

A five card length is worth 2 1

A six card length is worth 3 2

Long suit tricks cannot be counted in a suit bid by the opponents. A worthless four card length should not be counted, unless shown by partner.

In order to determine the full trick value of any suit, count length values separately, and add honour values. In trumps, for instance, a hand of Ace, Queen, 7, 6, 5, is worth 3½ playing tricks (between 3 and 4 tricks), but if partner denies trump support the hand is only worth 2½ playing tricks.

With solid suits such as King, Queen, Jack, 10, 9, the quickest method is to count the losing tricks. An already stated, never count more than two honour tricks defensively in any suit. A combination, however, of Ace, King Queen can be given the full value of 3 tricks, of a rebid, but never for opening bids, doubles, or take-out or partners bids, which all require defensive honour strength.

When a hand is played at the opener's own trump bid, the expected winners of honours and long suits give the total trick value of the hand.

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The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 855 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

1-2.15 p.m.—European programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time and Weather Report.

1.3 p.m.—Recorded music.
1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room.

1.30-4 p.m.—A relay of the 1st three items of the Concert from the Helena May Institute, by courtesy of the Committee.

6.35 p.m.—Children's Concert from the Studio.

6.30-6 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden.

5.30-6 p.m.—A relay of the 1st three items of the Concert from the Helena May Institute, by courtesy of the Committee.

6.35 p.m.—Recorded music.

Orchestra—
Cavalleria Rusticana—Intermezzo
(Mascagni),
Barcarolle (Tale of Hoffman—
Offenbach),
New Light Symphony Orchestra

Vocal Duet—
The Swing Song ("Veronique"—
Messenger),
Trot Here and There ("Veronique"—
Messenger),
Winnie Melville & Derek Oldham.

Instrumental—
Sonata in C Minor (Grieg),
Marjorie Hayward and Una Bourne
Song—

(a) Jock the Fiddler (b) The Ballad
Monger (Easthope-Martin),

(a) Fairlings (b) Come to the Fair
(Easthope-Martin),
Percy Henning (Baritone).

Violin Solo—
Concerto in G Minor (Adagio)
(Max Bruch),
Louis Zimmerman.

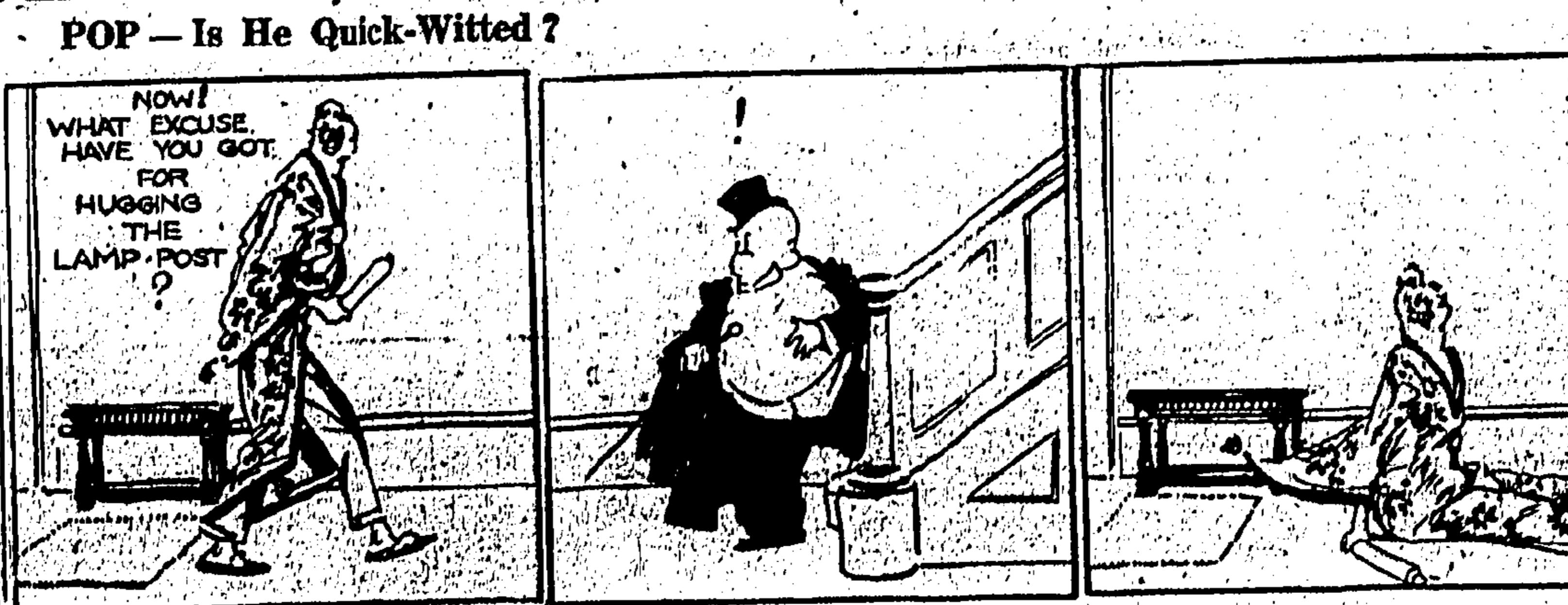
Orchestra—
Die Fledermaus—The Bat—
You and You (J. Strauss).

Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Song—

8.30-10.30 p.m.—Chinese Concert
From the Studio.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press
News.

10.35 p.m.—Close Down.

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Sporting Page

TWO IMPORTANT CHANGES IN JOCKEYS FOR THE CHAMPIONS

W.H.S. DAVIS
LEAVING

TRANSFERRED
TO TIENSIN
TO-MORROW

Wong Sui Ngau Stable
Loses Star Jockey.

"A FEW MORE HETMANS AND
SADKOS NEEDED"

(By RAPIER).

MR. "Daffy" Davis, the popular local jockey, has been transferred to Shanghai and will sail to-morrow by the President Jackson.

A prominent rider in Shanghai, Mr. Davis rode only during the second half of this season recording his first win on Festival Eve to speed \$110.10 and \$42.50 dividends. He later won on Burgomaster and Tecumseh, the latter paying \$61.40 for a win.

The popular Wong Sui Ngau stable will thus be losing their star rider, and I understand that Burgomaster has yet to be fixed up with a jockey for the Subs. Champions on Saturday week.

Talking to Mr. Davis some weeks ago the jockey told me that a few more Hetmans and Sadkos would considerably improve Colony racing.

The departure of Mr. Davis will rob the Colony of a keen, clean and sporting rider at a time when jockeys are scarce. He carries with him the good wishes of the Stewards and his fellow riders to his new post in Tientsin.

LEO FROST
LEADS MR. HEARD
BY FOUR WINS

Keen Struggle For
Third Place

(By RAPIER)

THE following are the records of all the local jockeys for official races at the Valley, Macao, and Fushing to date this season:

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th
L. G. Frost	40	31	20	6
A. J. P. Heard	36	26	28	62
B. A. Proulx	17	12	4	68
G. L. da Roza	15	22	18	56
S. N. Pan	10	6	14	58
E. O. Butler	9	15	11	42
A. L. Caplan	8	3	2	24
N. Deltz	7	7	8	23
F. M. L. Soares	7	6	8	44
S. Y. Liang	6	9	19	62
Ip. Kui Ying	6	8	10	50
D. Black	6	8	6	46
H. P. Chanson	6	3	0	43
P. Young	5	6	8	43
G. A. Harriman	4	7	11	68
P. P. Botelho	4	2	3	23
W. H. S. Davis	3	3	1	23
J. C. A. Ingram	2	4	1	30
W. H. Choy	2	2	4	13
Yue Shun Wa	2	2	3	16
A. R. Botelho	2	1	0	16
T. Fung	1	4	8	48
R. A. Carroll	1	4	0	39
G. W. Sewell	1	2	8	10
J. E. Noronha	1	2	3	27
S. Y. Sung	1	2	1	6
F. Label	1	2	1	13
W. T. Stanton	1	2	0	16
G. P. Ferguson	1	2	0	26
W. N. Yeh	1	1	1	6
W. G. Poy	1	1	1	36
H. V. Pearce	1	1	0	29
Tang Man Wa	1	0	0	16
Y. M. Loo	0	3	1	3
S. W. Tang	0	1	1	6
W. G. Fischer	0	1	1	6
J. Kewick	0	1	0	1
J. W. Hope	0	0	2	13
Dr. J. C. Macgowan	0	0	1	1
C. L. Aria	0	0	1	1
S. K. Wong	0	0	1	2
Elli. Joseph	0	0	1	1
H. M. Remedios	0	0	1	6
T. P. Baunderson	0	0	1	8
F. C. Bond	0	0	0	1
A. D. Copain	0	0	0	1
D. D. Evans	0	0	0	1
A. da Luis	0	0	0	1
H. P. Ross	0	0	0	1
R. M. Wood	0	0	0	1
Woo Tsinson	0	0	0	1
M. N. Cochran	0	0	0	2
R. H. Chanson	0	0	0	2
J. L. Jordan	0	0	0	1
W. W. Young	0	0	0	1
J. W. B. Borden	0	0	0	1
W. W. Jones	0	0	0	1
J. W. Miller	0	0	0	1



Gordon Richards Steps To Turf Record

Seven Times Champion Jockey

London, November 8. SINCE Gordon Richards rode his first mount in public 13 years ago, he has been champion jockey seven times. To-day, by riding his 247th winner of the season, he beat the record of Fred Archer, which had stood unrivalled for nearly half a century.

Here is the record of Richards's winners each year he has been on the turf:

1921 5* 1925 118* 1929 135

1922 5* 1926 5 1930 128

1923 49* 1927 164* 1931 147*

1924 61* 1928 148* 1932 190*

Apprenticed: 1 Champion Jockey

Richards has been riding only a comparatively short time. In 1926 he had only 68 mounts because of ill health.

And yet he has still to win or get placed in the Derby—although he has ridden two or three fancied

candidates in their respective years.

He rode the late Lord Dewar's Sunny Trace, who was backed to win thousands of pounds, in the 1928 race at Epsom. Two years ago, carrying Lord Woolavington's colours on Cockpen, who started second favourite to Orwell, he finished unplaced to April the Fifth. Manitoba, his Derby mount this year, started second favourite to the eventual winner, Hyperion, but also finished down the field.

His classic Year

The champion has had only two classic winners, and both were in 1930 Lord Glanely's Rose of England in the Oaks, and the same owner's Singapore in the St. Leger. Richards cannot be referred to as a big-race jockey, despite his wonderful achievements, for he has to ride winners of the more important weight-for-age and handicap races. The year 1927 saw him up on more big winners than before or since, as in that season he won the Gimcrack Stakes (Black Watch), Yorkshire Oaks (Giocondi), Liverpool Summer Cup (Silver Lark), and Ascot Stakes (Duke of Buckingham).

As he won races on Flaming

Rose and Brumex on the first day, the score was brought level, but on the final day of the fixture—and the last of the season—For again drew away from Richards, and beat him by one winner: Fox 129, Gordon Richards 128.

Archer's record was: The Derby Five times The St. Leger Six Times The Oaks Six Times The Oaks Four times 100 Guineas Four times All in the space of seventeen years.

Two races Fred Archer tried desperately to win on a number of occasions, but without succeeding, were the Chester Cup and the Cambridgehire. Gordon Richards, of course, won the Chester race this year on Dick Turpin.

Probably the best horse Richards has ever ridden was Lord Glanely's Singapore, while Tiffy was the

GOVERNOR'S NEW AUSTRALIAN VERY PROMISING

Quarter Mile Gallop
On Bit

CRUCIAL TEST SHORTLY

(By RAPIER)

NELL Groyne, the new Australian mare owned by His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel K.C.M.G., K.B.E., was ridden over a quarter of a mile on Tuesday by Mr. Benny Proulx and moved beautifully on the bit, clocking 0.28.1.

Her easy, rhythmic action confirms the general opinion that she is one of the best, if not the best, of the new batch of Australians.

The mare will probably be given her first half or three-quarter mile gallop very shortly, and it is hoped then to learn whether she is going to turn out to be a sprinter or a stayer. She will very likely show that she has both speed and stamina.

DINTY'S IMPRESSIVE GALLOP.

Mrs. Stanton's Dinty did an impressive gallop this morning, covering 1/4 mile in 1.34.0, with a last half of 0.58.0 and a last quarter of 0.28.0.

AUSTRALIANS AT THE GATE

Indications Point To No Difficulties

THREE FLYERS DISCOVERED

(By RAPIER)

THE new Australian ponies are taking kindly to their practices at the gate, and indications point to there being little, if any, trouble in this direction at the Annual Meeting.

On Sunday many of the new batch were put through their paces at the gate and all proved good starters. H.E. the Governor's

Lord Groyne, Messrs. Grist and Beck's Bronze Era, and Mrs. Stanton's Dinty are making the trip. There are five official

races and a ladies' handicap on the card of six events.

Mr. Paul Botelho may record a

win on Blue Plane in the Novices' Race, and Mr. Frost is riding four

potential winners in City of Shang-

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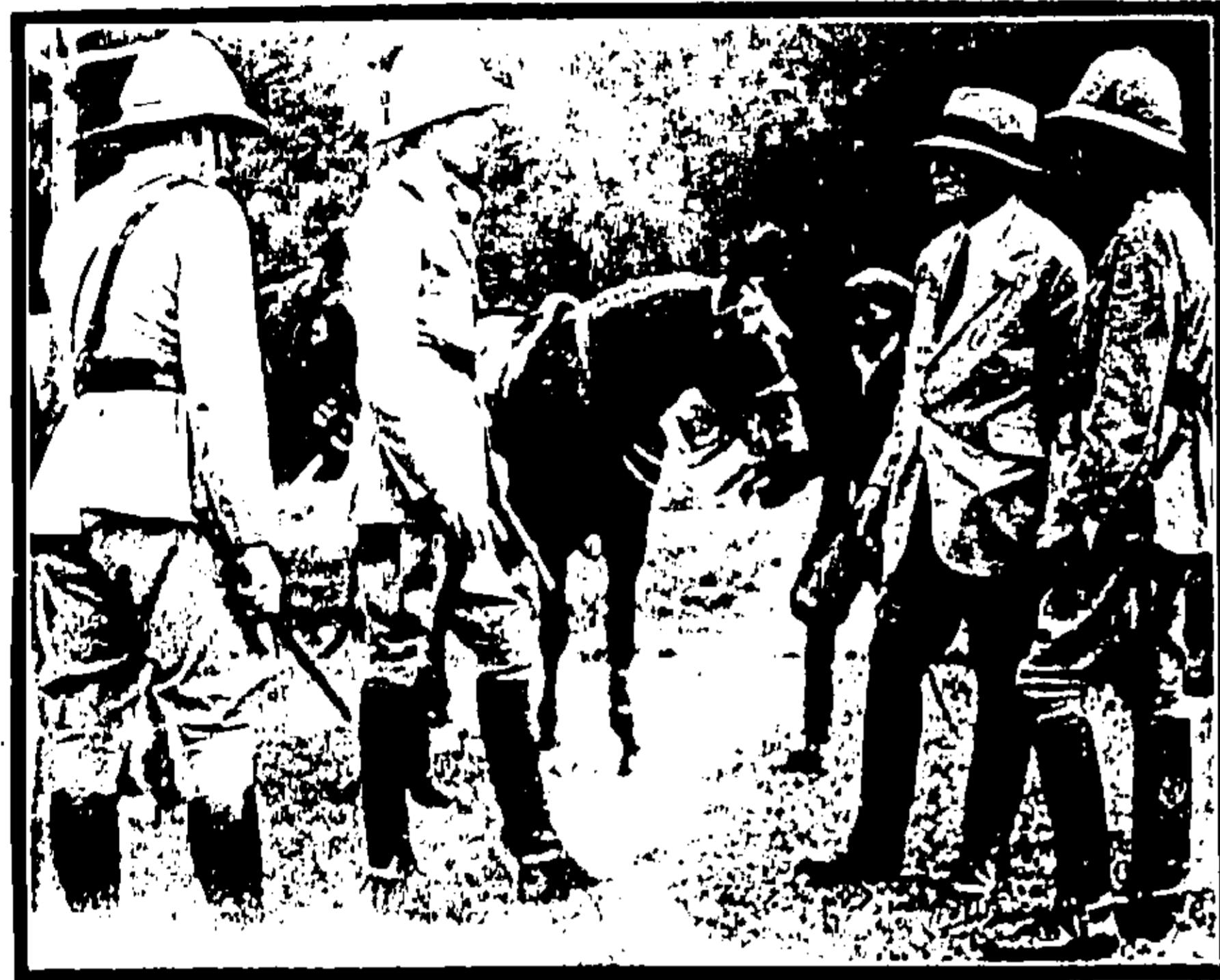
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A pretty Chinese wedding took place in the Roof Garden of the Sincere Company on Tuesday, November 21, when Miss Cheng Fau-Sang, of Canton, became the bride of Mr. Siu Sit Ming, of Hong Kong. (King's Studio).



Officers of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps in camp at Fanling. Seated in the centre is Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., Commandant of the Corps, while in chairs on his right are Major E. J. R. Mitchell, O.B.E., and Capt. P. S. M. Wilkinson, Corps Adjutant.



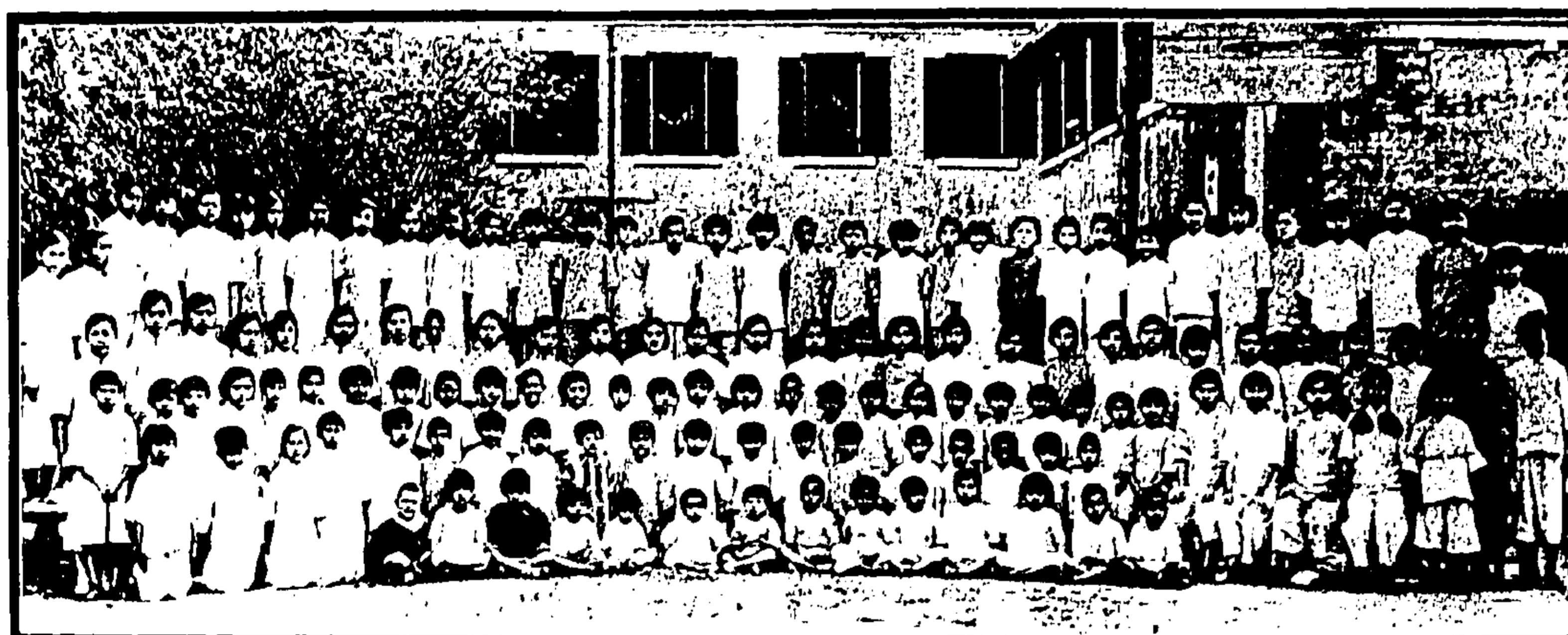
His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, K.C.M.G., K.B.E., with Col. L. G. Bird, during his visit to the Volunteer Defence Corps' camp. (King's Studio).



A fine view of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps' camp at Fanling where the annual field exercises are held. Below the tent lines can be seen the mashed canteen. (King's Studio).



Campus of camp life at Fanling, where the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps get under canvas. (Top left) Col. L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., Corps Commandant, inspecting the lines. (Bottom left) Instructors from Lincolnshire Regiment and the South Wales Borderers. (Right) Lieut. J. A. R. Selby, Medical Officer. (King's Studio).



Orphaned Boys and Girls of the Victoria Home, Kowloon Tong, in the Home's playing field. (King's Studio).



Mr. Li Zee-min, President of Chinese Students' Club of the University of Southern California, who is technical adviser to the M.G.M. Corporation in the film production of Pearl Buck's "Good Earth." He is a brother of Mr. Wm. Yinson Lee, of Shanghai, and of Mr. Li Chor-chi, of Hong Kong.



Mr. and Mrs. Leung Ming-yan.



Young helpers who took part in the Rose Day street collection in aid of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul. (King's Studio).



Mr. Lee Sik-tong with his bride, Miss Irene Thyra Jun Bee-chin, after their wedding at St. Paul's Church. (King's Studio).



Mr. Leung Ying-man, Sports Editor of the *Wah Yat Po*, and his bride, Miss Tuan Yin-wah, at their wedding reception on the roof garden of the new Hotel Nathan in Wanchai. (King's Studio).



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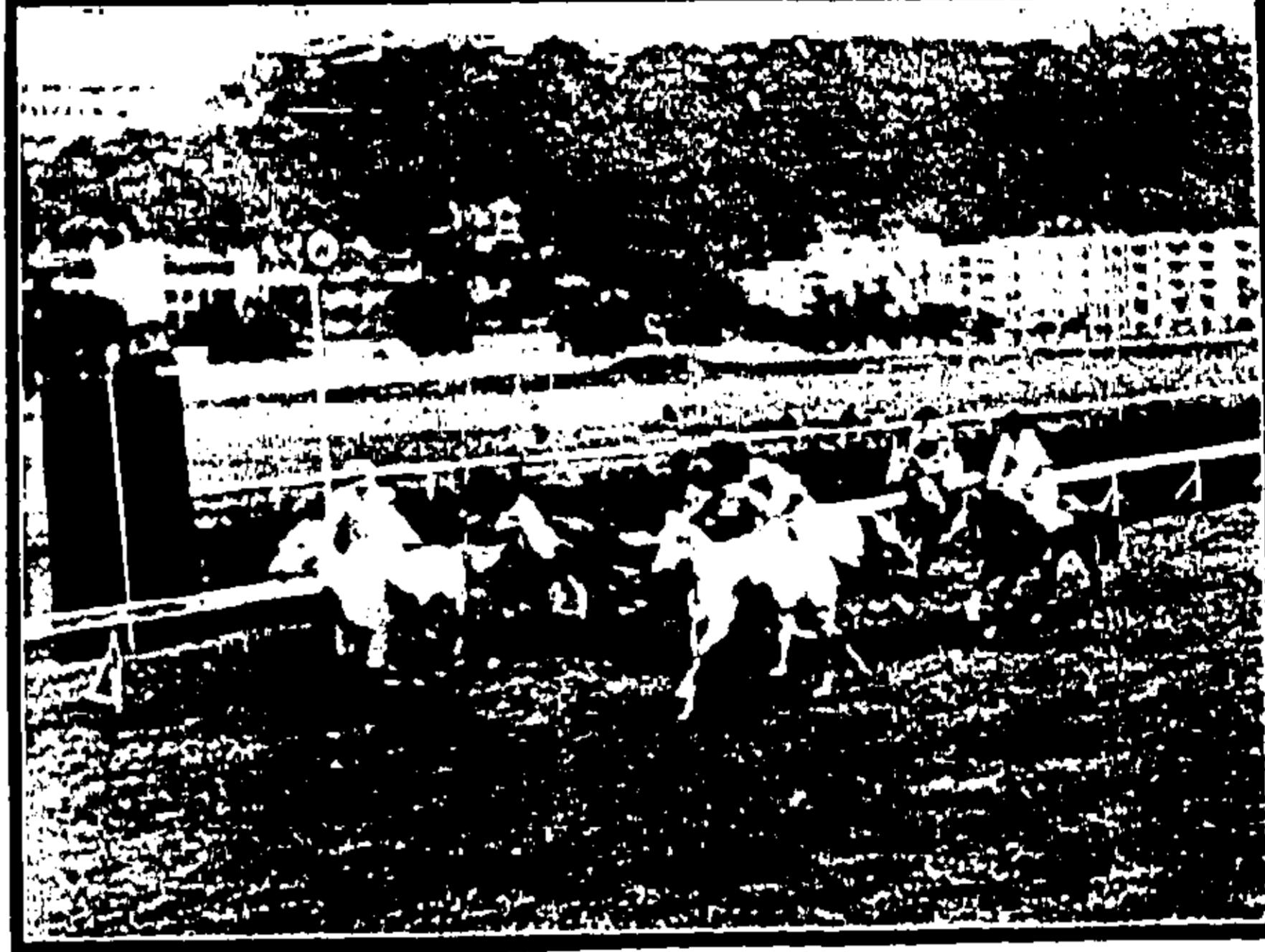
A group taken at the reception at the Luk Kwok Restaurant, Wanchai, after the wedding of Mr. Chiu Shiu-kong and Miss Yeung Hung. (King's Studio).



The Navy and South China premier soccer teams photographed before their epic struggle on the Kowloon ground on Saturday. (King's Studio).



The crowd in the Members' Stand at Happy Valley. (King's Studio).



A brilliant finish—Don (Mr. G. U. da Roza) winning the Glasgow Handicap from Valorous (Mr. A. J. P. Heard) over a mile on Saturday.



Two scenes at the Paddock at the Race Meeting on Saturday at Happy Valley. (King's Studio).

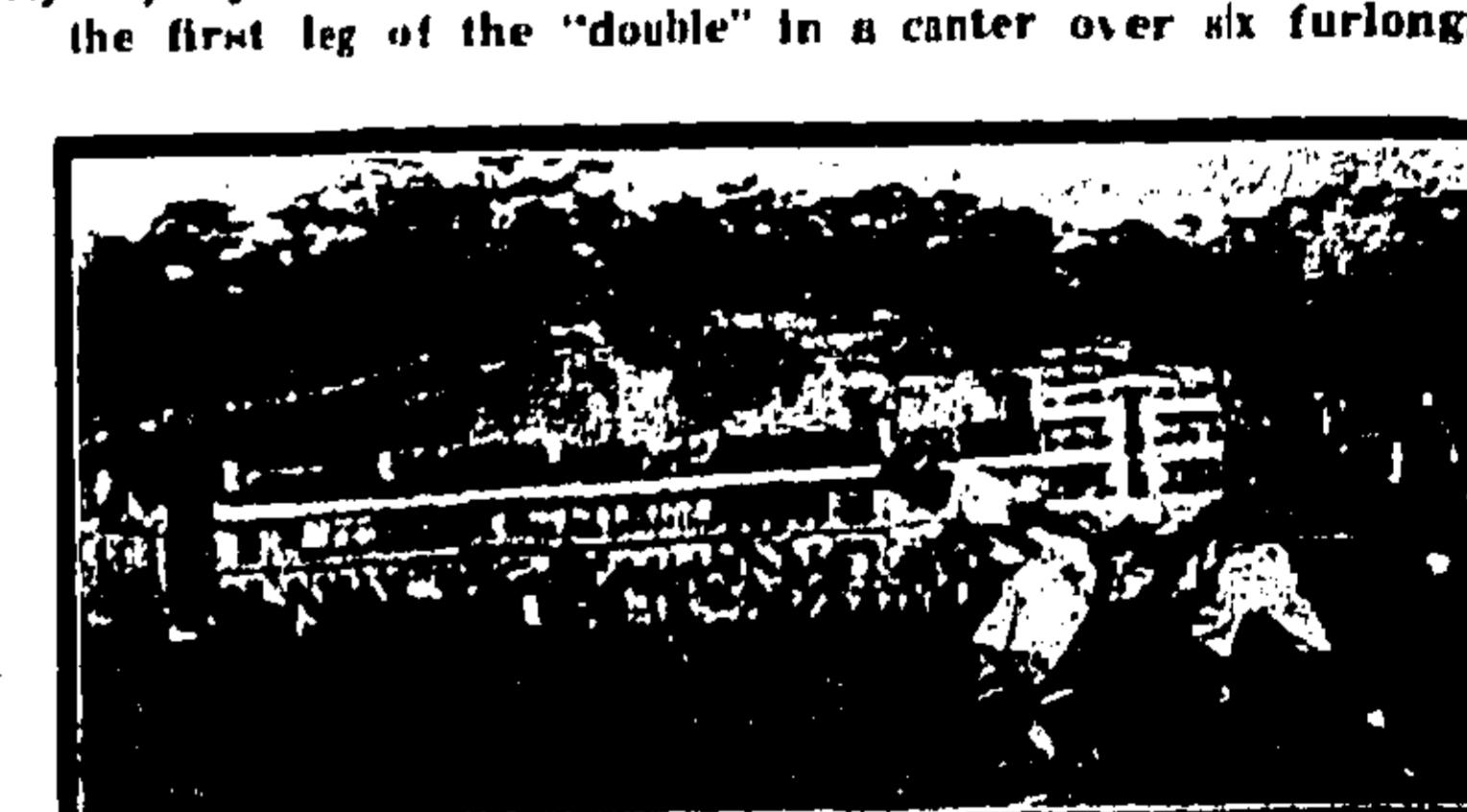
Scenes from Saturday's Races—(Left) Mr. "Gus" da Roza being led in on Don after winning the Glasgow Handicap (right) Mr. Leo Frost, champion jockey being led in on Liberty Bay by Mrs. Frost. (Bottom) El Pa (Mr. Proulx) wins the first leg of the "double" in a canter over six furlongs.



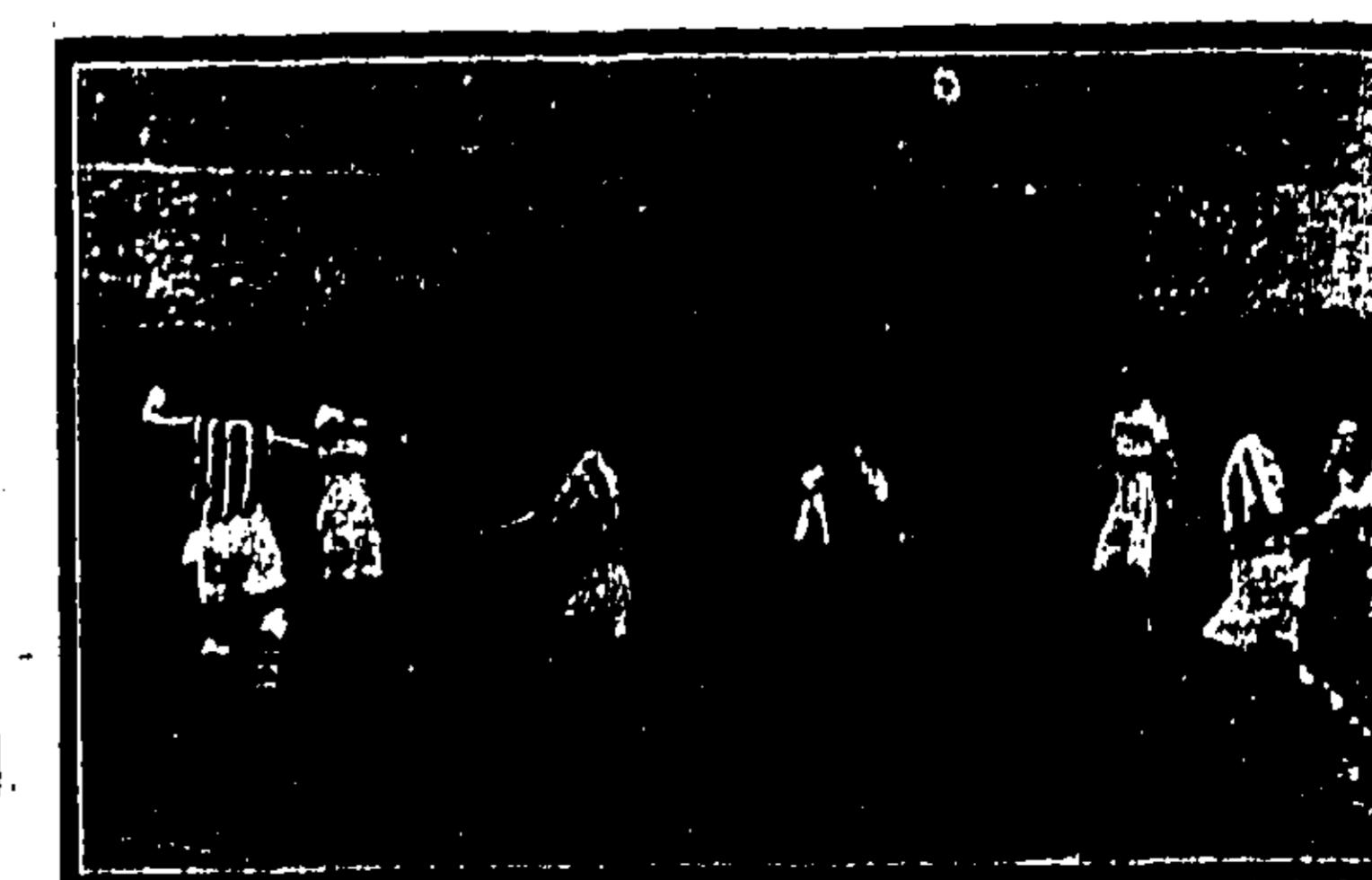
Gunnery practice at Fanling. (Top) The Machine Gun Troop. (Below) The Battery undergoing instruction at Kwantu racecourse. (King's Studio).



Mr. Chiu Shiu-kong, with his bride, Miss Yeung Hung, at the Luk Kwok Restaurant, after their wedding last week.



An East Lance player gets better of his Athletic opponent on the Club ground on Sunday. The Athletic won by 4 goals to 2. (King's Studio).



An incident in the game between the Club and St. Joseph's at Caroline Hill on Saturday. (King's Studio).

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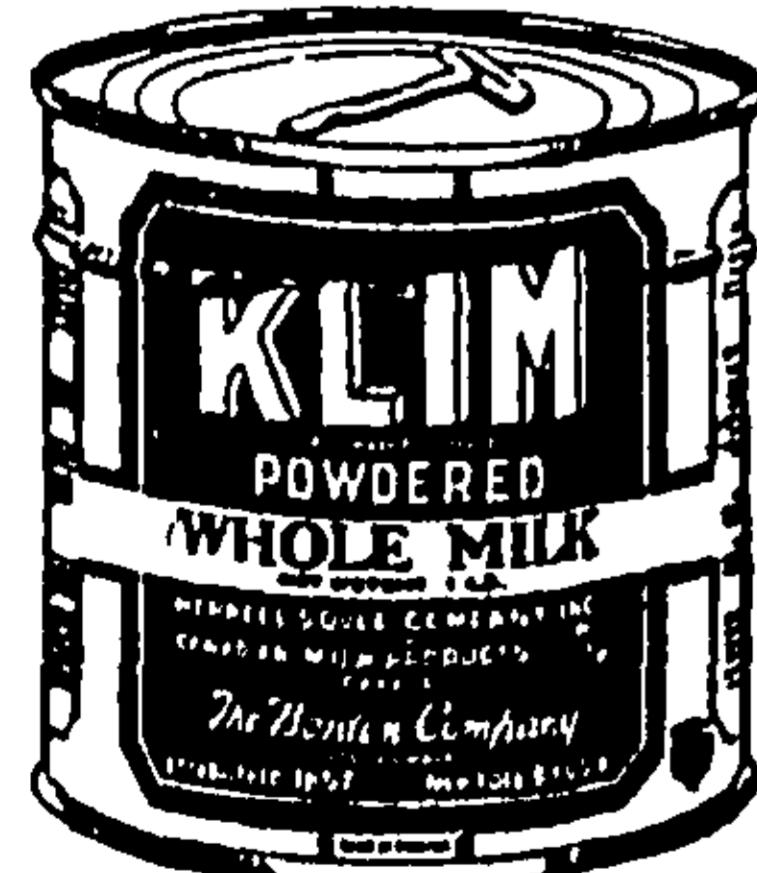
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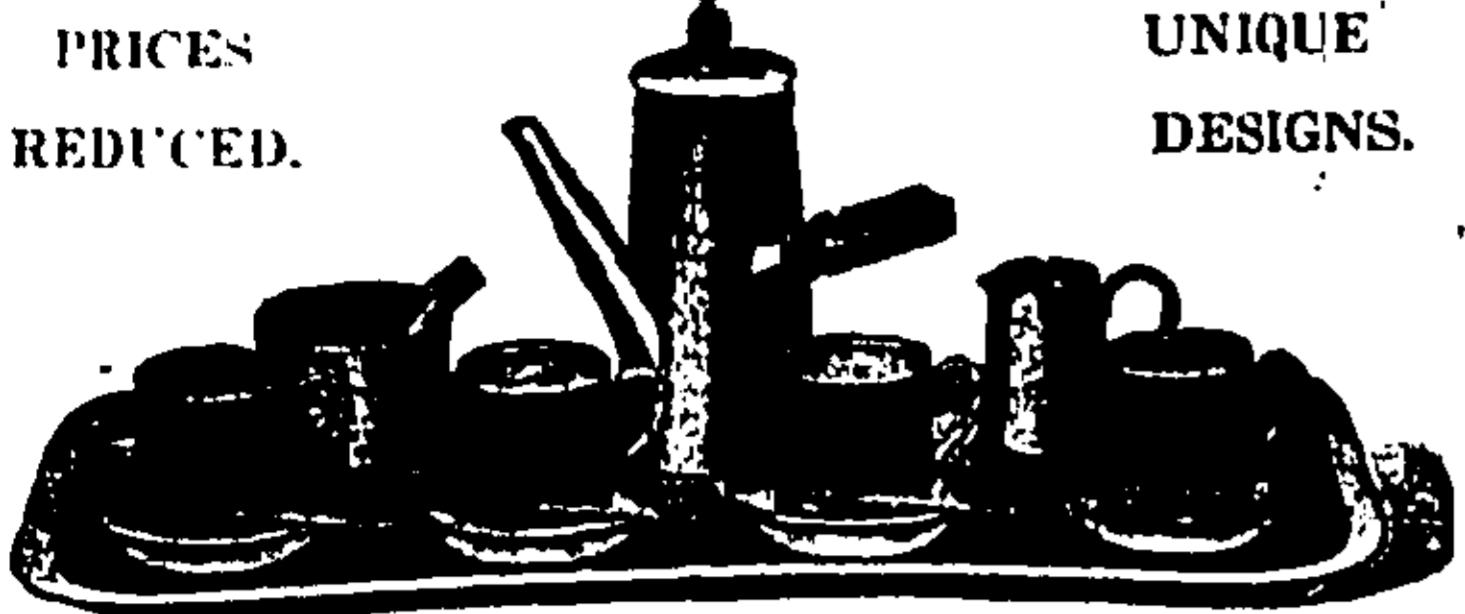
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AMERICAN
FOOTBALL
IN CANTONSouth China Sending
Team On Sunday.BRIGHT PROSPECTS WITH USE
OF JONES SYSTEM

(BY QUARTER BACK)

FOR the first time in the annals of sport in the Colony a local American football team is to compete in the Canton League. On Sunday the South China Athletic Association team, under the coaching of W. Butt, will meet Lingnam University at the latter's Stadium in Canton.

Adopting the Jones system, which is now in use at the University of Southern California, the Colony team's chances are considered very bright. In Eddie Chang they have a brilliant back field ace, in spite of his being the lightest man in the side at 102 lbs., and Harry Chan is an outstanding line player. All the members of the side have had previous experience either in High School or the University of Hawaii.

Lingnam are expected to use the famous Notre Dame system, as many of their professors are from that university.

The two other teams in the

TARANTULA BEAT
TAMAR BY 3-1Losers Lead 1-0 At
Half Time

IN a friendly soccer game at the Valley yesterday, H.M.S. Tarantula defeated H.M.S. Tamar by 3 goals to 1 after being a goal in arrears at the interval.

Smith opened the scoring in the first half when he dashed through after a solo effort to hook the ball into the Tarantula's net with a fast rising drive.

In the second half the Tarantula team showed a big improvement, scoring three times through Hall, Webb, and Smith.

League are the Canton Military Academy, and the Canton Municipal.

The local side accompanied by four substitutes, are as follows:

Matty Chang (left end), Ed Lee (left tackle), George Wong (left guard), Clarence Chang (centre), Clyde Chan (right guard), Harry Chang (right tackle), Francis Pong (right end), Henry Chang (right half), Ed Chang (quarter back), Henry Young (full back), and Eddie Chang (left half back).

The team will leave for Canton on Sunday morning. Lingnam will play the return game, probably at the Carolines Hill Stadium, on December 23.

The V.R.C. Junior Rowing Challenge Cup race was postponed yesterday.

The H.E.S.A. beat H.M.S. Kent by 3 goals to 2 yesterday, Lt. Edford and Reed scoring for the losers.

FRAGGOTT CONFIDENT OF K.O. AGAINST EWIN

"A" Company Lincolns
Win The Rubber"A" Company Borderers
Beaten At SoccerTOYNE RESPONSIBLE FOR ALL
THREE GOALS

(By "JOCK")

"A" Company, Lincolns beat "A" Company, Borderers by three clear goals at soccer on the Chatham Road ground yesterday afternoon in the third of a series of sports encounters.

"A" Company, Lincolns, have won the first three games in the series, beating their Borderers' rivals at Billiards, Cricket, and Soccer. The remaining games to complete the series are tennis and hockey which will be played in the near future.

Continual rain marred the game and an injury to Heath in the opening minutes compelled the Lincolns to reshuffle their team.

Each side included four First Division players, Smith, Wallace, Fortey, and Morrison for the Borderers and Heath, Roden, Bett, and Ridley turning out for the Lincolns. Sgt. Ash being unavailable. L/Cpl. Higgins, the Lincolns Battalion team's leader, who has practically recovered from his ankle injury, took the line.

After stopping a fast shot from Fortey in the opening minutes, Heath split two fingers in his right hand severely, but resumed a little later at outside right Sgt. Bett going in goal and Cpl. Bett going to full back with Roden.

The Lincolns did most of the attacking in the first half and Smith saved well from Clark and Heath, while Ridley had bad luck with a header, the ball just passing over the bar. Addison displayed fine form at right half, for the Borderers where he proved a spoiler of many of Ridley's movements.

Heath then made a good run on the right wing and his shot, well timed, just skimmed the bar.

Three minutes before half-time CLARK'S advantage in height enabled him to head a high centre from Toyne into the net to give the Lincolns the lead. Clark is at present leading the Third Division goal-scoring list with 15 goals.

Clark's Second Goal

Eight minutes had elapsed in the second half when CLARK converted another centre from Toyne to place the Lincolns two goals in the lead.

Shortly afterwards Fortey gave Wallace a fine opportunity to reduce the arrears, but the latter's shot hit the upright from eight yards range.

Play was transferred to the other end where Smith did well to save a fast grounder from Clark. In the closing stages TOYNE broke away on the left to score a third goal for the Lincolns who fully deserved their victory.

Smith, in goal, Jones, Addison, and Roberts played well in defence for the Borderers, while Fortey was their best forward.

For the Lincolns Bett and Roden, the full backs, broke up the movements of the opposing forwards, while Worrall was the out-standing half. Ridley, who plays for the Army on Saturday and the United Services on Sunday, set Clark and Toyne going on several occasions but did not exert himself.

Cpl. Wardle lined the following: "A" Lincolns: Heath, Sgt. Bett, Roden, Morrison, Worrall, and Cpl. Bett; Harper, Ridley, Clark, Evans, and Toyne.

"A" Borderers: Smith, Jones, Watson, Addison, Roberts, and Burchill; Fortey, Herbert, Morrison, Wallace, and Mason.

TWO WINS FOR LA SALLE

La Salle College beat the Wah Yan College by 3 goals to 2 yesterday. E. Silva, Poon, and W. Gottsche (penalty) scored for the winners, and S. Hamei for the losers who led 1-0 at the interval.

The La Salle second eleven beat Ying Wah College by 4 goals to 1. Peter Ulrich, R. Ribeiro (2) (one penalty), and J. Remedios scored for the winners.

WALKDEN AND LAI
SUSPENDED.

Thomas Received Light
Sentence.

WREN LEAD LINCOLNS BY 3 TO 0

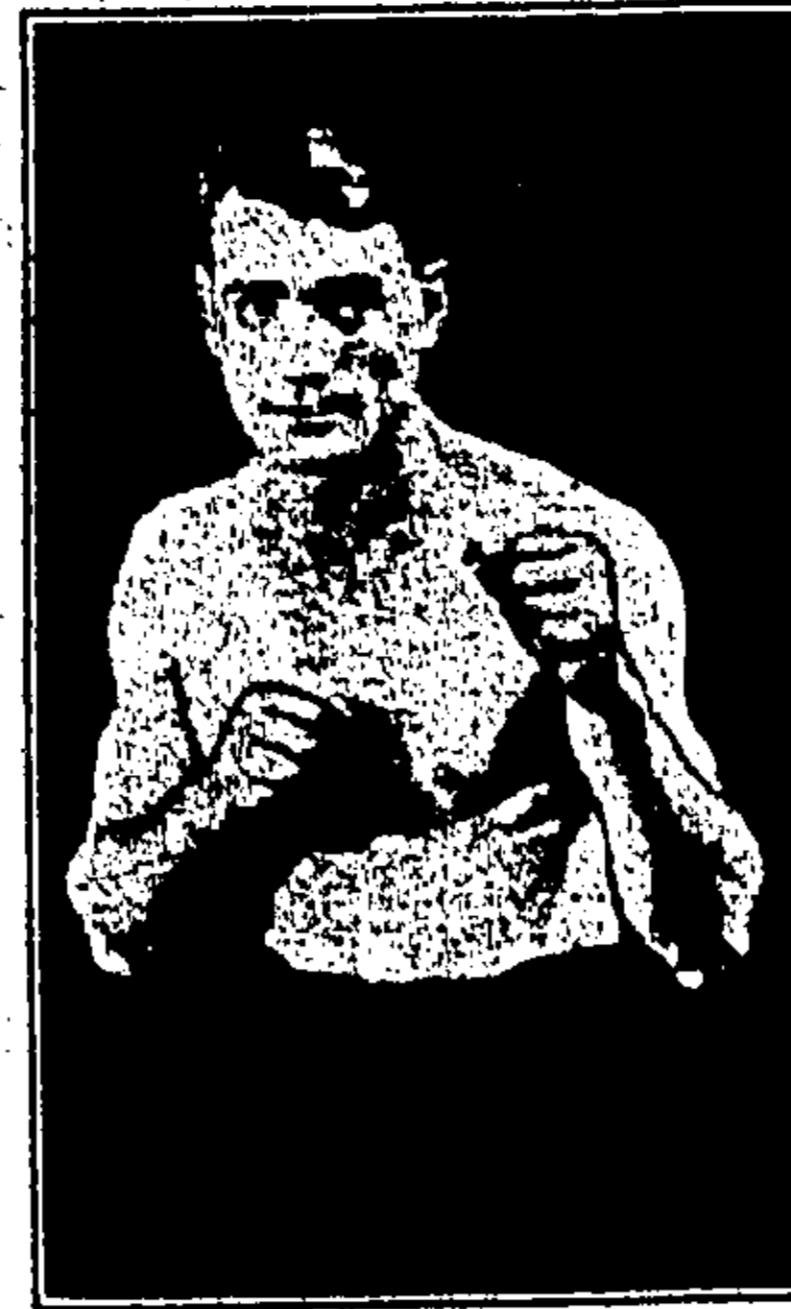
On a waterlogged pitch at Sham Shui Po yesterday "B" Company, Lincolns, engaged H.M.S. Wren in a friendly hockey game.

In the first half the Wren scored three times but the game had to be abandoned owing to heavy rain at the conclusion of the first half.

H.E.S.A. BEAT KENT

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KENT INTER-TEAM GAME
(Continued on Page 4)



Harry Ewin, middleweight boxing champion of the Colony.

HOLDER TO FACE BIG
TASK SATURDAYFOLEY FAVOURED TO
BEAT JUDGE

PRYALL A COMING CHAMPION

(By Ringsider).

ALTHOUGH A. B. Fraggott (H. M. S. Berwick) is expected to put up one of the hardest fights of his career, A. B. Ewin (H. M. S. Kent) is favoured to retain his Middle Weight Championship of the Colony in his bout on Saturday night at the Lee Theatre.

Both men are said to be in the pink of condition and the fight promises to provide some of the finest and hardest fighting seen in the Colony for some time.

Fraggott has never trained so hard for a fight in his life and he feels perfectly confident of beating Ewin on a knock out. He is a clever south paw boxer and puts up an artillery attack.

Ewin has a fine reputation and is also confident of being able to beat Faggott whom he hopes to beat by the k.o. path. His recent victories in Japan are still fresh in the minds of his supporters. He is the man who twice defeated Jock Craighton.

Ewin is the Champion of the China Fleet and winner of over 200 fights in England, while Faggott was the Welter Weight Champion of the West of England, Atlantic Fleet Champion, is undefeated in service boxing, and loser of only 7 fights in 170.

The bout is a 15 round contest and is expected to go all the way.

Among the other attractive bouts on the programme is an 8 round Heavyweight contest between A. B. "Tim" Foley (H.M.S. Berwick), Colony champion, and A. B. Judge.

CLUB MAKE ONLY
ONE CHANGE

Injured Jones Replaces
Bradford In Pack

THE Club have made one change

in the side which lost to the Navy fifteen by 27 to nil for their game against the Army at the Valley on Saturday, commencing at 4 p.m.

J. E. Jones, the former Borderers' wing forward now with the Police, has replaced I. H. Bradford in the pack, but owing to the injury he sustained yesterday against the Navy "A" it is thought probable that either S. H. Garrad or R. O. F. King will be given the vacancy.

The following is the team:

J. P. Whitham; G. P. Lammert, R. H. Griffiths, W. H. R. Rigg, J. J. Ferguson; M. W. Turner, J. A. R. Selby (captain); G. A. Stewart, D. A. Cumming, E. F. Walkden, H. A. Browning, F. R. Burch, K. A. Munro, D. McLellan, and J. E. Jones.

Reserves:—H. C. Meeke, J. Hutchison, S. H. Garrad, and R. O. F. King.

CLUB GOOD IN LOOSE

King, Harbord, Garrad Cox, and Jones were well to the fore in the loose and bunched well together, but in the tight scrums, the second and back row forwards broke up much too soon after the ball had been put into the scrum with the result that the Navy forwards took the ball at their feet from nearly all the tight scrums.

Paine, Morris, Brown and Masons shone for the Navy.

Edwards was weak at full back for the Club and was much too slow in fielding the ball from Navy punts.

The Club commenced play with only fourteen men, Cherrill being a latecomer. In, the second half Whitham acted as touch judge, his place being taken by Harris Walker, who scored two of the Club's second half tries. Stillard came into the forwards when Jones was compelled to leave the side owing to his knee injury.

From a scrum down early in the game Whitham secured possession and gained considerable ground before cross-kicking. Harbord gathering brilliantly to send LAMBERT over for the first try. Robertson failed to convert from a difficult angle.

From the kick-off a loose scramble resulted in Jones, one of the Club's outstanding forwards being injured, a twisted knee resulting in a torn cartilage.

The Navy added to their score after a forward rush, MASTERS again grounding for Shaw to miss the kick.

Five minutes from time the Club scored the best try of the day when Meeke cut through to send Harbord away, the latter transferring to HARRIS-WALKER, who cut round to score. Robertson failed to convert.

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The Navy eventually equalised after Richards, who was grassed by Whitham, had knocked on. The ball came out of the scrum to GARDNER who hurried himself over near the posts. Paine converted with the kick.

Lt. D. Lampen, referee, and lined up the following:

Navy:—Pav. Mid. Roantree; A. E. Wotten, E. R. A. Thomas, Mid. Williamson, L. S. A. Richards; Sub. Lt. Garwood, Lt. S. Dowdien; W. Eng. Williamson, Pav. Lt. Sheppard, Fly. Off. Morris, Lt. Shaw, P. O. Brown and Lt. Paine.

Club:—B. P. Edward, J. P. Whitham, G. L. Griffiths, J. Hutchison, G. I. Lammert; H. C. Meeke, L. G. Roberton; W. R. Andrews, A. H. Harbord, R. L. Cherrill, N. M. C. C. Chapman, R. H. Garrad, B. O. P. King, A. R. Cox and G. G. Jones.

SAINTS HELD TO DRAW

St. Joseph's College drew with the Ellis Kadopis School for Indians at King's Park yesterday.

St. Joseph's 108 (C. Amery 4, M. Cassin 4 for 26).

Ellis Kadopis 81 for 8 (M. Yusuf 21, G. Windsor 4 for 17).

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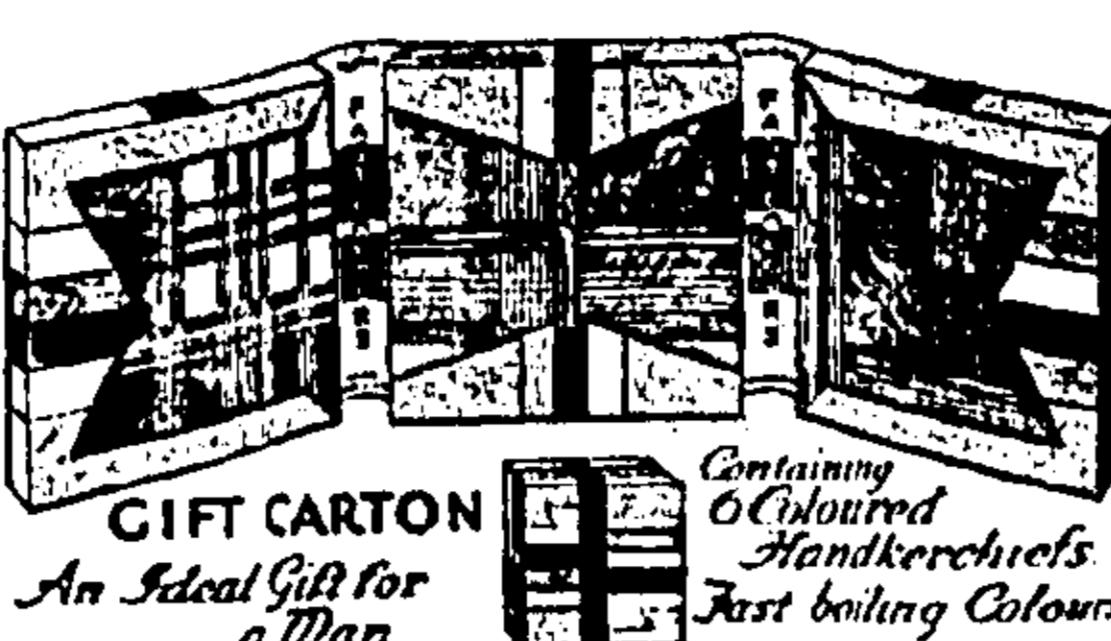
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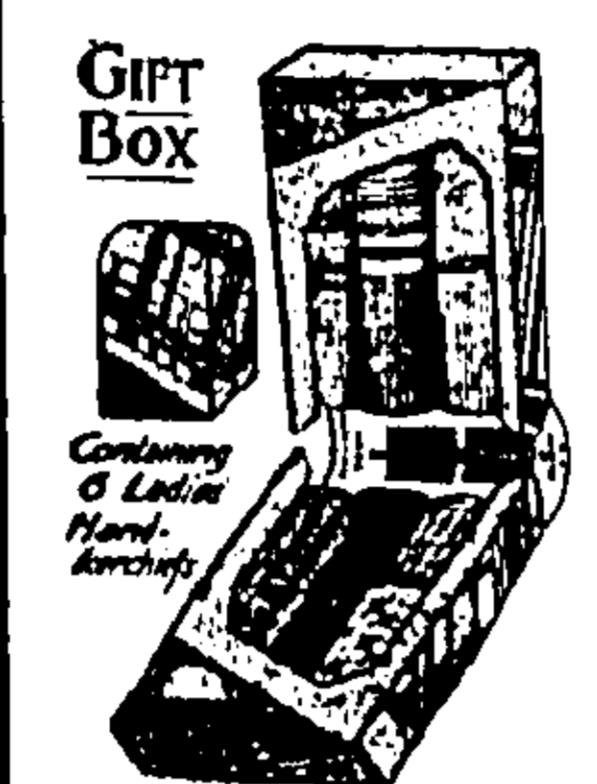
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HERE, THERE and EVERWHERE

Record Ferox

The capture of a 14½ lb. salmon ferox by a Dundee lawyer on small trout-fly at Loch Rannoch in Perthshire will shake the faith of pundits like Sir Herbert Maxwell, who maintains that the ferox never takes an artificial fly.

Long regarded as a separate species, ferox are now accepted by most naturalists and anglers as overgrown lake trout who have turned cannibal.

During one June just after the war on Loch Shin, in Sutherlandshire, where ferox abound, more than one specimen was landed on a trout fly; and, while it is true that they rarely take a fly, such captures are by no means so exceptional as many authorities suppose.

Their record Loch Leven trout—a cannibal of 9½ lb.—was also caught on a small fly. That angler, however, was not fishing. He was dangling his flies in the water, and thought for a moment that he was stuck in a weed.

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Berlin's New Order

A new Nazi order is being enforced in Berlin.

The average Berlin flat and house owner keeps his empty boxes, his packing paper, and other useless paraphernalia in the attic.

He has now been ordered to remove from this pinnacle all inflammable material and to deposit it in the basement or, failing a floor, in a future, only non-inflammable, somewhere on the first floor, on the top story.

The alleged purpose of this prevention is to prevent outbreaks of fire in case of air raids. Its intended practical effect is to bring home to the citizens of Berlin the aerial defencelessness of their city.

In any case, see what has happened to dictatorships in history.

Every one of them has come to a bad end. There have been no exceptions.

Do not be misled by the Italian dictatorship. It has lasted only a few years. The end of it may be near at hand. There is reason to suppose that it does not receive the approval and support of some of those who have done most to create it.

The German dictatorship has been brief indeed. The career of Hitler in office has not been glorious. Besides, if the Government of Britain were to become a dictatorship it would be impossible to bring it into relation with the democratic Governments of Canada, Australia, and New Zealand.

The power of the dictator in Britain would not extend beyond the shores of this island. And certainly there is not the remotest possibility of any of the Dominions adopting a dictatorial system.

If you make an experiment in dictatorship in Britain while there is still parliamentary government in the Dominions you destroy the unity of the Empire.

Closer association is made impossible; the association which already exists is destroyed.

You cannot join things which are unlike.

Those who defended parliamentary government in the Dominions would be bound to oppose the dictatorship in Britain.

We are not in the position of Germany or Italy. We have our Dominions to think of.

We dare not part with the Dominions, nor they with us. We are all bound together in the pursuit of a common purpose and the necessity of a common defence.

We are the real league of nations—the nations of the British Empire.

It must be our task to strengthen and develop democratic government throughout the whole of the Imperial structure.

We must do so, not for the purpose of resisting dictatorships, but to strengthen the Empire.

Make no mistake. The British Empire has not attained the full stature of its political and economic strength. There are great projects

NO DICTATOR FOR BRITAIN

COLONIAL EMPIRE DEVELOPMENT

WESTMINSTER REPRESENTATION

(By Lord Beaverbrook.)

Reject dictatorship. Put it from you. Have nothing to do with it. Why?

Because a dictatorship in Britain will destroy the Empire.

The great hope of the Empire lies in a united Empire Parliament.

That has always been our ambition.

We have kept it constantly in mind

as our goal, our final objective, the

crown of all our endeavours.

We aim at a Parliament in which

the representatives of the Crown

Colonies will sit side by side with

the members of Yorkshire and Lancashire constituencies, where decisions

vital to the Empire as a whole

will be endorsed by representatives

of every part of the Empire.

Do not be put off by the cry that it is an impossible dream. We have already done what we were told was impossible in 1929.

Easier Project

Nothing is impossible to determined men who are inflamed by a great ideal. Certainly a Parliament of the Empire is an easier project to carry through than the difficult and dangerous change that would be involved in abandoning parliamentary government in Britain for a dictatorship.

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of consolidation and unity still to be carried through.

They demand a clear vision, an unwavering resolution, a ceaseless endeavour, an enduring patience.

The basis of representation in the

British Parliament should be ex-

tended. We have to conceive of it

as an Imperial institution. Its in-

terests are not confined to Great

Britain. Its membership should

not be confined to Britain either.

Their Right

The Crown Colonies are entitled to representation at Westminster. The tariff laws of these colonies are, in effect, made by this Parliament. The Cabinet possesses and exercises through the Colonial Secretary the power to make these laws.

But there is nobody in the House of Commons who takes any interest in them. There never will be until the Crown Colonies have representatives of their own at Westminster.

Look at Jamaica. The Legislative Council of that colony wants to impose duties on Japanese cotton cloths. Our Colonial Secretary will not allow them to do so.

The duties would help Lancashire, but they would hurt the Government's relations with the Japanese. That is the only reason for refusing them.

If Jamaica had representatives in the British Parliament we would hear a great deal about this question.

In any case it is absurd for the Secretary of State for the Colonies to profess to speak on behalf of the Crown Colonies. He does not represent the views of the colonists. He speaks for the officials of the Colonial Office.

Already the French colonies send their representatives to the Chamber of Deputies in Paris. Sitting in the gallery of the Chamber, I have seen these deputies for the French colonies taking their places. Some of them are black. All are highly respected, warmly received, and listened to with attention.

All this I have seen with my own eyes from the gallery of the Chamber of Deputies.

The Vital Need

Look you here. We are all agreed that the creation of more purchasing power is the pressing need throughout the wide world. Our difficulty is to find a way of creating it. Opinions differ as to the methods and as to that alone.

The general purpose of increased purchasing power is the objective of the Governments of Britain, the United States and most other nations. Very well, here is a way by which we can make more purchasing power within the British Empire.

Confer that purchasing power on the Crown Colonies, on our black fellow citizens living in Africa and other continents, and especially those in Nigeria, the Gold Coast, and Jamaica.

If these black subjects of the King grow rich they will spend their money in Britain.

We can give them riches by purchasing their bananas and oranges, for instance, and the other tropical produce they grow instead of buying it from the Spaniards and the peoples of Guatemala and Salvador, who spend their money in France or the United States.

But if we buy from these colonies the oranges and bananas of which there are plenty growing on their trees, they will take from us cotton cloth and motor-cars, to say nothing of motor-cycles and push bicycles.

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THE PAPER HUNT SEASON OPENS.

ROOSEVELT SUPPORTED BY NEW YORK BANK
To Sell \$50,000,000 Stock To R.P.C.
STRENGTHENING CAPITAL STRUCTURE OF BANKS

New York. To-day. The following is part of the text of a letter mailed on December 5, 1933, to the shareholders of the National City Bank of New York by the Chairman of the Board, Mr. James H. Perkins:

"Our directors feel that the Bank should support the President of the United States in his programme of strengthening the capital structure of the banks of the country and in his campaign to bring about business and industrial recovery. They also feel that we should accept the offer which the Government has made to purchase preferred stock in the national banks."

"In connection with this offer the President said: 'I understand that the question has been raised in some quarters that the Government wants control of banks through ownership of preferred stock. Nothing could be further from the truth. The Government only wants to help to provide banking capital adequate to meet the credit needs of the country, and through buying and lending upon preferred stock and capital debentures, it accomplishes this without undue demands on present share holders.' (In the case of national banks, the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is only authorized to purchase preferred stock.)

Bank To Co-Operate.

"We are proposing that the Bank co-operate with the President's programme; that it increase its capital stock by issuing and selling to the Reconstruction Finance Corporation at par and accrued dividends, (subject to being first offered to our own share holders), \$50,000,000 of five per cent cumulative preferred stock, and that at the same time decrease the common stock from \$124,000,000 to \$77,500,000 by changing the par value from \$20 to \$12.50 a share without, however, changing the number of shares outstanding."

SIR MILES' FAREWELL MESSAGE

Chinese People Will Succeed.

"UNITY, STABILITY AND RECONSTRUCTION"

Nanking. To-day. Sir Miles Lampson, bidding farewell to China last night, after seven years' service as British Minister, expressed his deep regret at leaving the country and mentioned that it was a source of deep gratification to him that the present Sino-British relations were so satisfactory.

He paid a tribute to the immense vitality and resource of the Chinese people in surmounting the difficulties of the past two decades and expressed the conviction that despite the uncertainty of the immediate future, the Chinese people would succeed in their task of constructing a modern Chinese state.

"Unity, stability and reconstruction should be the watch-words of China to-day," he said.

"The sooner real unity is achieved, the sooner stability will be attained and reconstruction completed. This is not only the wish of my countrymen and my hope, but the fundamental principle of British policy in the Far East," declared Sir Miles.—Reuter.

JAPANESE TRADE COMPETITION

(Continued from Page 1). In reply to supplementary questions he said that the Government were keenly watching the competition and actively considering the question.

Regarding negotiations, it was the Government's view that negotiations among industrialists should be allowed to proceed first, to see what progress could be made.—British Wireless Service.

INFRINGEMENT OF TRADE MARKS

BRITISH REPRESENTATION TO JAPAN

London, To-day. The menace of Japanese competition to British manufacturers in

BRIGHTER HOPES FOR PEACE

TENSION EASED IN NORTH FUKIEN.

CANTON URGES POLITICAL SETTLEMENT

Shanghai. To-day. Hope for a peaceful settlement of the Fukien revolt is brighter, following the suggestion of peace from the leaders in the South. Meanwhile, the tension in North Fukien is somewhat eased, and the rebels appear to be content to keep themselves on the defensive pending the outcome of the peace movement.

One of the 22 Central Executive Council members of the Kuomintang, who are staying in Shanghai, said that the leaders in the South had in the past few days frequently wired Shanghai urging the settlement of the Fukien revolt by political means and suggesting three definite damage done to his home and the proposals towards this end. He said he did not plan any action against the lynchers.

He believed that the Central Government would not ignore the desire for peace if the rebels could bring themselves back to reason.

Chang Chi Postpones Mission.

Nanking. To-day. The Central Political Council of the Nanking Government held an important meeting yesterday to discuss the situation.

It is reported that the peace proposals suggested by the Southern leaders were examined at the meeting, but nothing could be learned of the results of the deliberations except that Mr. Chang Chi has postponed his trip to the South, pending further instructions from the Central Government.

Mr. Chang Chi, it will be remembered, has been assigned the mission by the Central Government of approaching the Southern leaders on the steps to be taken to secure close co-operation between the Central Government and the Southern Administration in dealing with the Fukien rebels.—Central News Agency.

FOREIGNERS REFUGE IN FOOCHOW.

Min River Evacuation Now Complete.

Shanghai. To-day. The evacuation of missionaries from the Min River region to Foochow has been completed and not a single missionary is now left in Yenping and the other towns in the danger zone.—Reuter.

KWANTUNG ENVOY RETURNS.

Military Conference In Canton.

Canton. To-day.

The Canton Government is awaiting with keen interest a report by General Li Han-Yun who is returning from Kwangsi after approaching the Kwangsi leaders and ascertaining their attitude towards the Fukien revolt.

General Li is believed to have also consulted with the Kwangsi authorities as to measures to be taken to secure co-operation between Kwangsi and Kwantung in dealing with the situation.

General Chen Chi-tang held a military conference yesterday at his headquarters to discuss the results of General Li Han-yun's mission to Kwangsi.—Central News Agency.

Dominion markets was again discussed in the House of Commons, yesterday.

The Parliamentary Secretary of the Board of Trade, Dr. E. L. Burgin, replying to the allegation that British trade marks had been imitated by Japanese firms, said that if the British makers' registered trade marks were infringed, and copied in an underhand manner by Japanese firms and the fact were brought to the British Government's notice, every possible step would be taken to assist British makers.

The attention would be called, he said, through the proper diplomatic channels, of those in authority in Japan to the practices which were reprehensible and which no Government desiring to carry on a worldwide commerce ought to tolerate.—Reuter.

MOB VIOLENCE OCCURS IN TWO MORE STATES

Follow California In Lynch Law.

NEGRO HANGED IN MISSOURI

St. Joseph, Mo., Dec. 1. In the third major outbreak of mob violence in the country in three days, a crowd estimated at 7,000 last night lynched Lloyd Warner, 19 years old, a Negro who police said confessed to an attack on a white girl of 22.

The mob fought its way to the Buchanan county jail through a hastily mobilized National Guard tank corps armed with tear gas. After storming the jail they overpowered the officers and Sheriff Otto Thiesen surrendered the prisoner. Warner was hanged to a tree in the courthouse square and his body burned.

Sheriff Thiesen estimated the jail by the mob at \$5,000. He said he did not plan any action against the lynchers.

ROOSEVELT CONDEMS "COLLECTIVE MURDER"

Washington, To-day. A strong condemnation of lynching was made last night by President Roosevelt in a broadcast address to the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America.

He described the recent lynchings in the United States as a vile form of collective murder called "lynch law."

"We do not excuse those in high or low places who condone such practices," he added.—Reuter.

The lynching closely followed mob outbreaks in California and in Maryland. At Salisbury, Md., to-day, there was a pitched battle between about 1,000 men and 300 National Guardsmen sent to arrest suspects in a recent lynching nearby.

Associated Press.

HOOVER JOINS PROTEST.

Rebukes Ralph For His Attitude.

San Francisco. The name of former President Herbert Hoover was among the signatures on a statement issued to-day which deplored the recent lynching of two kidnapers at San Jose, California, and the "laudation of the deed by Governor Ralph."

The statement, which was signed by prominent persons, in addition to former President Hoover said: "Brutal Outburst."

The very spirit of the government has been violated and the state disgraced in the eyes of the world by this brutal outburst of primitive lust for vengeance."

The signers included leaders in civic, business, church and society circles.

The statement was a rebuke and a retort to Governor Ralph who died after the lynching that California had given a lesson to the country in how to treat kidnapers and that if any persons were convicted for having participated in the outburst, he would be pardoned by the governor.—A. P.

JAPANESE MINISTER TO VISIT CHINA.

"Impending Problems" To Be Discussed.

Tokyo, To-day. It is learned on high authority that Mr. Koki Hirota, the Japanese Foreign Minister, is intending to proceed to China for the purpose of personally conducting negotiations with the Chinese authorities for the settlement of the impending problems.

Whether the "impending problems" have relation with Manchukuo is not known.—Central News Agency.

Lindbergh Sees Paris Again



Col. Charles A. Lindbergh's plane to visit the scene of his air triumph unobtrusively with his wife and daughter. Anne was thwarted by his great popularity with Parisians who flocked to see him. The Lindberghs are shown paying their respects at the American embassy, accompanied by J. Theodore Martin, Charge d'Affaires.

To-day's Short Story.

The Million-Dollar

By Agatha Christie.

Bond Robbery

"WHAT a number of bond robberies there have been lately!" I observed one morning, laying aside the newspaper. "Poirot, let us forsake the science of detection and take to crime instead!"

"You are on the--how do you say it?—get-rich-quick tack, eh, mon ami?"

"Well, look at this last *coup*, the million dollars' worth of Liberty Bonds which the London and Scottish Bank were sending to New York and which disappeared in such a remarkable manner on board the *Olympia*."

"If it were not for the *mal de mer*, and the difficulty of practising the so excellent method of *Laverquier* for a longer time than the few hours of crossing the Channel, I should delight to voyage myself on one of these big liners," murmured Poirot dreamily.

"Yes, indeed," I said enthusiastically. "Some of them must be perfect palaces; the swimming-baths, the lounges, the restaurants, the palm-courts—really it must be hard to believe that one is on the sea."

"Me, I always know when I am on the sea," said Poirot sadly. "And all those bagatelles that you enumerate, they say nothing to me; but, my friend, consider for a moment the geniuses that travel as it were incognito! On board these floating palaces, as you so justly call them, one would meet the elite, the *haute noblesse* of the criminal world."

I laughed.

"So that's the way your enthusiasm runs! You would have liked to cross swords with the man who sneaked the Liberty Bonds?"

The landlady interrupted us.

"A young lady as wants to see you, Mr. Poirot. Here's her card."

The card bore the inscription "Miss Esme Farquhar" and Poirot, after diving under the table to retrieve a stray crumb, and putting it carefully in the waste-paper basket, nodded to the landlady to admit her.

TO-MORROW'S STORY

In another minute one of the most charming girls I have ever seen was ushered into the room. She was, perhaps, about five-and-twenty, with big brown eyes and a perfect figure. She was well dressed and perfectly composed in manner.

"Sit down, I beg of you, mademoiselle. This is my friend, Captain Hastings, who aids me in my little problems."

"I am afraid it is a big problem I have brought you to-day," Monsieur Poirot," said the girl, giving me a pleasant bow as she seated herself.

"I dare say you have read about it in the papers. I am referring to the theft of Liberty Bonds on the *Olympia*." Some astonishment must have shown itself in Poirot's face, for she continued quickly: "You are doubtless asking yourself what I have to do with a grave institution like the London and Scottish Bank. In one sense nothing, in another sense everything. You see, Monsieur Poirot, I am engaged to Mr. Philip Ridge-

way.

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FOOD AND HOME ECONOMICS



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Even the rainy season brings days when refreshing drinks made with fruit juices become most welcome. The very tinkle of ice against glass has a cooling effect even before the beverage is served.

More than this, any drink made with fruit has a definite place in the diet. We all recognize the importance of eating fruit for its mineral content and vitamins, and we should remember those necessary six daily glasses of water. In a fruit punch, we find these essentials combined in a pleasing fashion.

Scientists tell us that "water has the property of absorbing more heat and being less affected by that heat than any other substance. It will absorb the heat from your body, and in passing off in the form of perspiration the evaporation cools you; hence there is a good reason for sipping a cooling beverage not only in the immediate cooling effect but in the ultimate effect."

Charged Drinks Healthful.
It is also interesting to know that ginger ale and innumerable other bottled beverages made with "charged" or "carbonated" water are healthful drinks, according to the Chemical Research of the United States Department of Agriculture. These beverages are of some food value due to the sugar used in their making, while the fruit juices, acids and extracts and other flavours from aromatic herbs and roots as well as the carbon dioxide gas pre-

Scrambled Mutton.

Two cups of chopped cold mutton, two tablespoonsfuls of hot water, and one tablespoon of butter.

When the meat is hot, break in three eggs, and constantly stir until the eggs begin to stiffen. Season with pepper and salt.

Tomato Mince Meat.

Always keep two or three lemons in your kitchen. It's amazing how many ways they can be used to dress up to food you serve.

For instance, one slice of lemon in a cup of clear bouillon gives the soup a tart flavour, and a decorative touch.

Peaches which have been peeled and sliced turn black when exposed a short while. But they won't turn black at all if you sprinkle them with fresh lemon juice as soon as they are sliced.

Fruit Juices Are Handy.

Ginger ale adds sparkle and pop to a fruit punch. Carbonated water gives a tang, while tea distinctly changes the flavour. These all give character to a mild punch whereas plain water merely lessens the fruity taste and increases the quantity.

Don't hesitate to combine fruit juices. The excessive juice left from the canning of small fruits can always be used to advantage in summer drinks.

Lemon or lime juice give a pleasant tartness to all fruit punches and should always be added if at all possible. Lemons are cheap here and should be used freely.

THOSE USEFUL LEMONS

Menu Suggestions For To-morrow

TIFFIN

Ham Croquets
Devilled Rump Steak

Baked Onions
Steamed Fig and Date Pudding

Hard Sauce
DINNER

Vegetable Chowder
Fried Kippers

Baked Potatoes
Tongue en Casserole

Stewed Green Peas
Tomato Fritters

Jam Roly Poly
Ham Croquets

3 tablespoons lard 5 tablespoons

flour, 1 cup milk (or stock and milk)
1/2 teaspoon pepper, 1/4 tea-

spoon celery salt, a few drops onion

julie, 2 cups finely minced ham, 1

egg yolk. Melt the lard, add the

flour and blend thoroughly. Add

the liquid and cook until the

sauce is smooth and thick, stirring

constantly. Add seasonings, ham

and beaten egg yolk. Add salt if

needed. Allow the mixture to cool

thoroughly and shape into croquettes.

Roll in fine crumbs, then in

beaten egg diluted with 1 table-

spoon of cold water and in crumbs

again. Fry in deep fat. Serve 6.

Devilled Rump Steak

2 tablespoons dripping, 1 large

onion, 2 lb. rump steak, 2 table-

spoons flour, 1 teaspoon salt, 1/2

teaspoon pepper, 1/4 teaspoon

paprika, 1/2 teaspoon mustard, 3

tablespoons vinegar, 2 cups stock

or hot water. Heat fat in frying

pan, slice onion and brown in the

fat. When onion is brown, remove

meat from pan and add to the

remaining fat the seasonings, vine-

gar and remainder of flour. Add

hot water, replace steak in pan,

cover closely and simmer until ten-

der. Serve with boiled potatoes

and carrots and pour gravy over.

Steamed Fig and Date Pudding

1/2 cup suet, 1/2 cup milk, 1/2 cup

molasses, 2 eggs, 1/2 cups figs, 1

cup dates, 1/2 cup flour, 1/2 tea-

spoon cinnamon, 1/4 teaspoon

cloves. Chop the suet fine and add

milk, molasses and beaten egg. Cut

the figs and dates in small pieces

and dredge with a little of the flour

and sift. Add to the first mixture,

beat well and add fruit. Turn in-

to a greased mould and steam for

about 3 hours. Serve with hard

sauce. Serves 8.

Vegetable Chowder

1/4 cup diced bacon, 1 onion, 4

cup cubed vegetables, 2 cups

water, 1 quart milk, salt and pep-

per. Fry bacon, add sliced onion

and cook until slightly brown. Add

vegetables in any combination de-

sired. Potatoes, carrots, turnips,

celery and peas are good. Tomatoes

may also be added. Add water or

stock and cook until the vegetables

are tender, watching carefully to

prevent burning. Add hot milk

and season to taste with salt and

pepper.

Tongue in Casserole

2 small calf's tongues, 1 table-

spoon dripping, 1 tablespoon flour,

1 cup tomato paste, 1/2 cup pimen-

tos, pinch powdered thyme, salt

and sugar, 1/2 teaspoon kitchen

bouquet, 1/2 tablespoon vinegar, 1

tablespoon salad oil, stock. Simmer

tongues until tender and remove

skin and small bones. Heat fat,

add flour and boil until slightly

brown and smooth, stirring con-

stantly. Add stock, then tomato

paste, pimento cut small, season-

ings, adding salt and sugar to

taste, and salad oil. Bring to

boiling point. Put tongues in the

casserole and pour sauce over.

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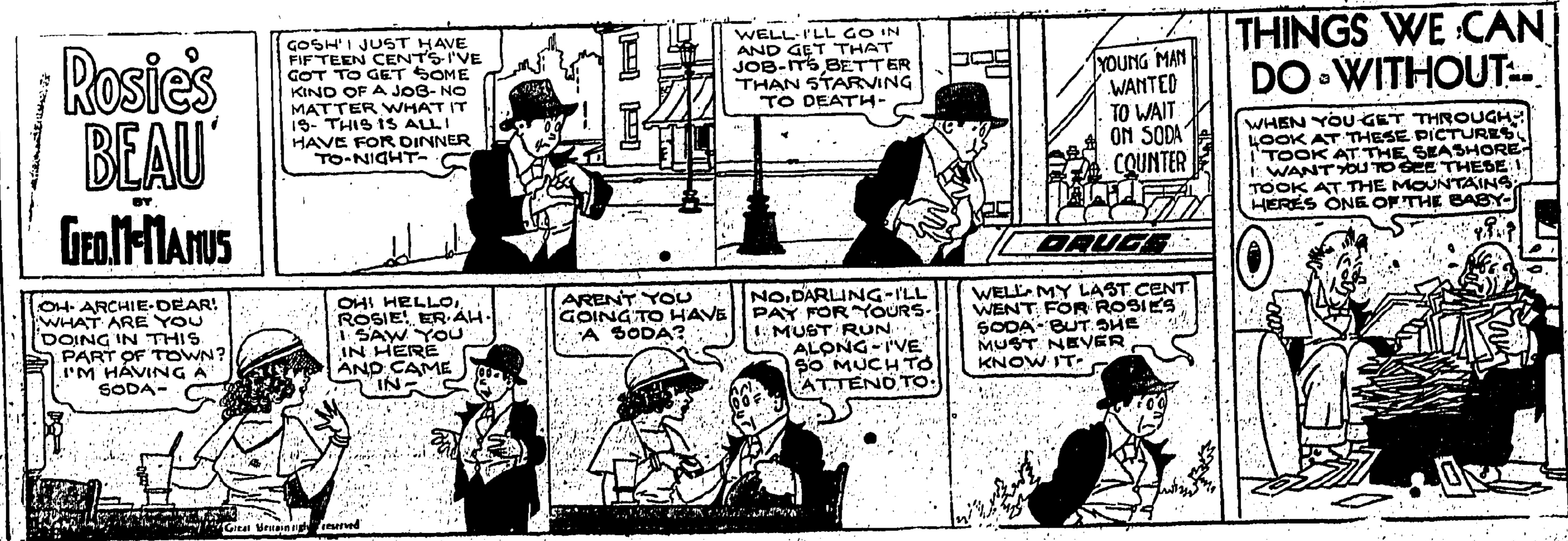
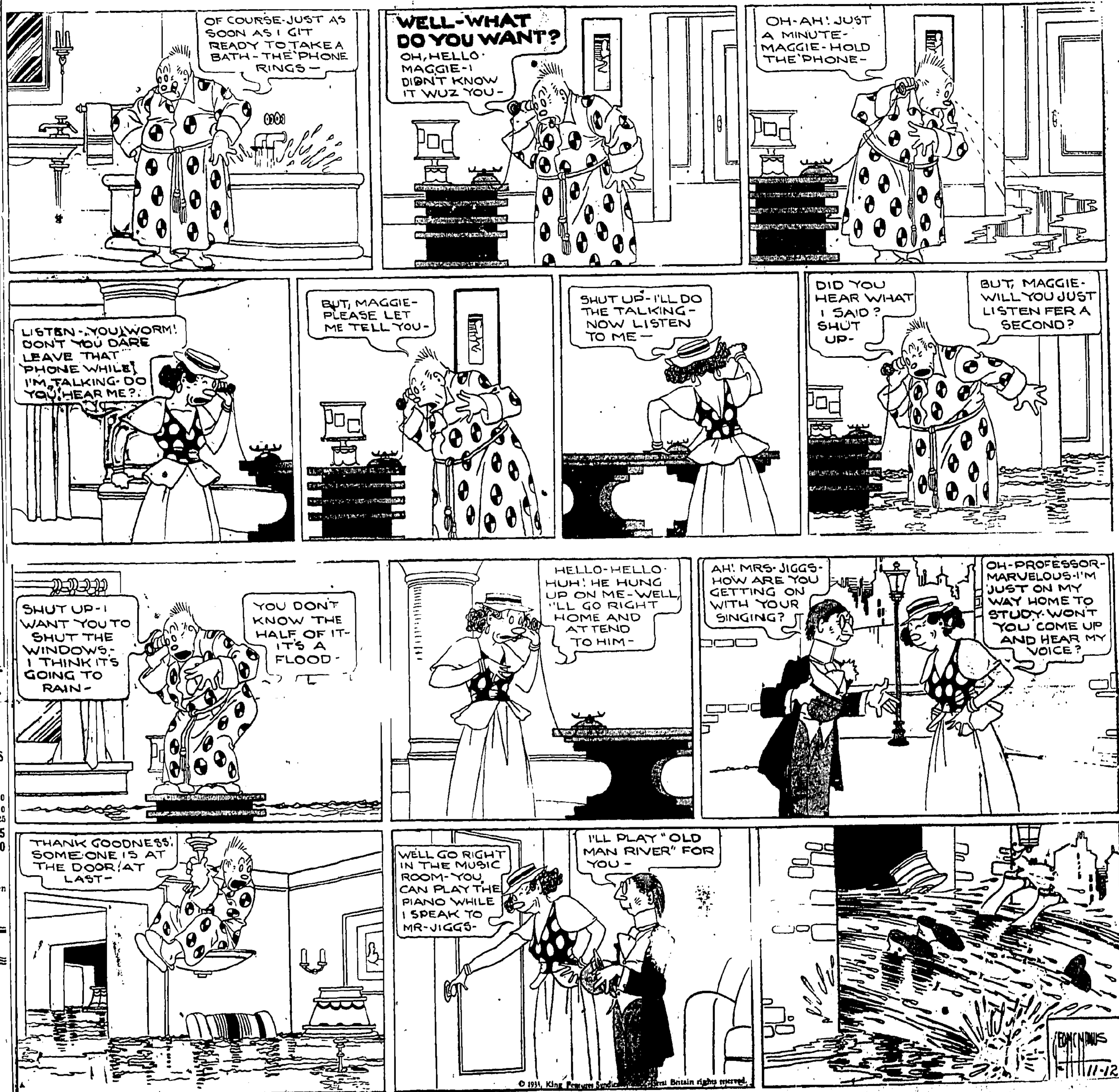
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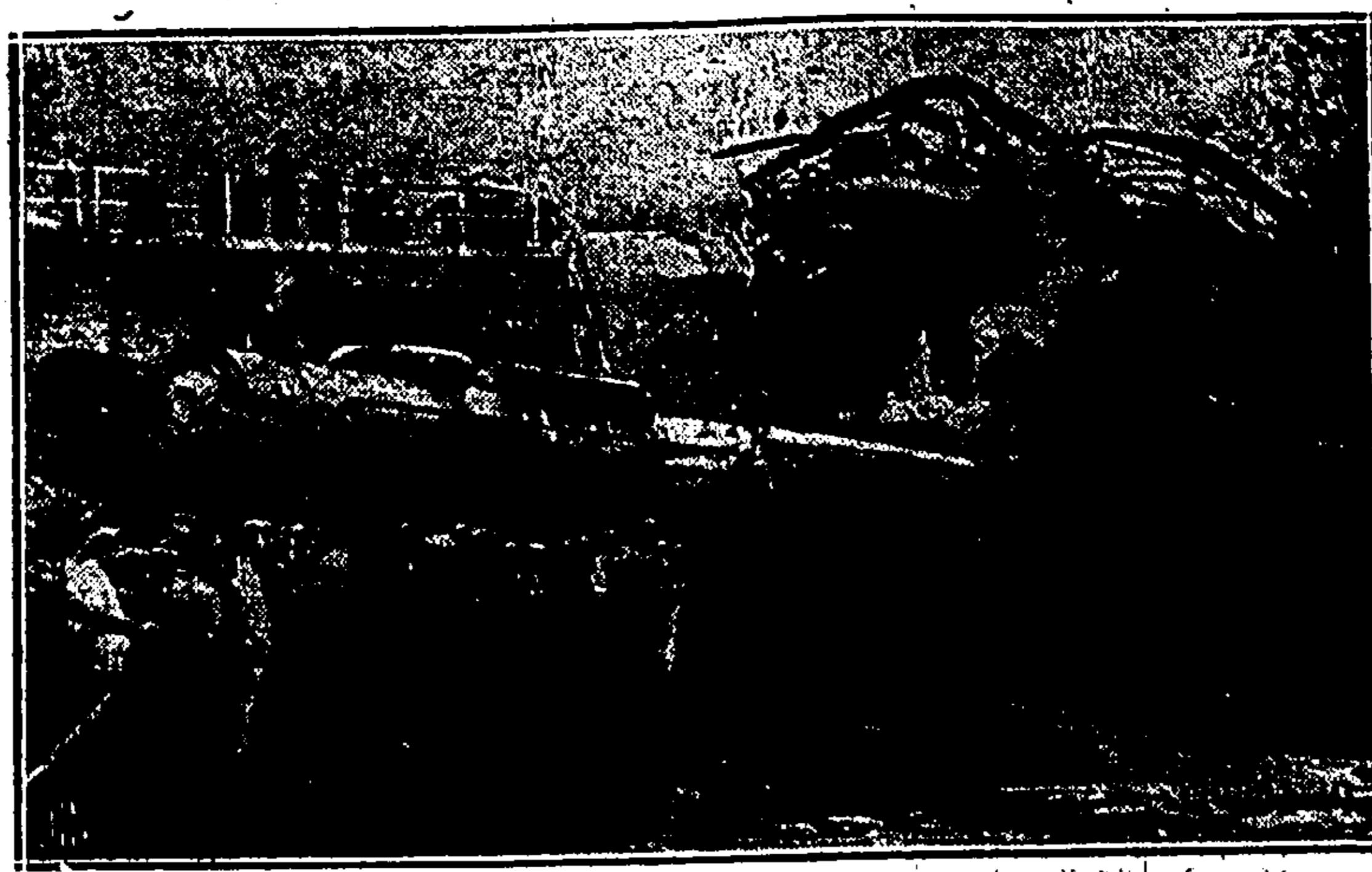
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The Million-Dollar Bond Robbery

(Continued from Page 12.)

"Good Lord, Poirot! Do you know, I'd give a considerable sum of money to see you make a thorough ass of yourself—just for once. You're so confoundedly conceited!"

"Do not enrage yourself, Hastings. In verity, I observe that there are times when you almost detect me! Alas I suffer the penalties of greatness!"

The little man puffed out his chest, and sighed so comically that I was forced to laugh.

Tuesday saw us speeding to Liverpool in a first-class carriage. Poirot had obstinately refused to enlighten me as to his suspicions—or certainties. He contented himself with expressing surprise that I, too, was not equally au fait with the situation. I disdained to argue, and entrenched myself behind a rampart of pretended indifference.

"Where we were when we started."

"Jamais de la vie! If the package was thrown overboard, and the bonds were sold in New York, the package could not have contained the bonds. Is there any evidence that the package did contain the bonds?" Remember, Mr. Ridgeway never opened it from the time it was placed in his hands in London."

"Yes, but then—"

Poirot waved an impatient hand. "Permit me to continue. The last moment that the bonds are seen as bonds is in the office of the London and Scottish Bank on the morning of the 23rd. They reappear in New York half an hour after the Olympia gets in, and according to one man, whom nobody listens to, actually before she gets in. Supposing that they have never been on the Olympia at all? Is there any other way they could get to New York?"

"Tell me," I cried, "was this gentleman one of the first to land when you got to New York?"

The steward shook his head.

"No, indeed, sir, he was one of the last of the boat."

I retired crestfallen, and observed Poirot grinning at me. He thanked the steward, a note changed hands, and we took our departure.

"It's all very well," I remarked heatedly, "but that last answer must have damped your previous theory, grin as you please!"

"As usual, you see nothing, Hastings. That last answer is, on the contrary, the coping-stone of my theory."

I flung up my hands in despair.

"I give it up."

When we were in the train, speeding towards London, Poirot wrote busily for a few minutes, scatting up the result in an envelope.

"This is for the good Inspector McNeill. We will leave it at Scotland Yard in passing, and then to the Rendezvous Restaurant, where I have asked Miss Esme Farquhar to do us the honour of dining with us."

"What about Ridgeway?"

"What about him?" asked Poirot with a twinkle.

"Why, you surely don't think you can't!"

"The habit of incoherence is growing upon you, Hastings. As a matter of fact, I did think. If Ridgeway had been the thief—which was perfectly possible—the case would have been charming; a piece of neat, methodical work."

"But not so charming for Miss Farquhar."

"Possibly you are right. There fore all is for the best. Now, Hastings, let us review the case. I can see that you are trying to do so."

RADIO MUSIC IN HOTELS AN OFFENCE

Infringement Of Copyright.

APPEAL COURT'S DECISION

London.

The Court of Appeal has decided that reproduction of music by means of wireless receiving sets and loudspeakers in hotels and public houses for the entertainment of customers of guests is an infringement of copyright.

Hammond's Bradford Brewery Company Ltd. of Bradford, was appealing from the decision of Mr. Justice Maughan, in the Chancery Division, in favour of the Performing Right Society, Ltd.

The case arose out of songs played by an orchestra in Hamersmith and broadcast by the B.B.C. with the authorisation of the Society, who owned the copyright.

People in a hotel at Brighouse owned by the appellants heard the performance on a wireless set belonging to the manager of the hotel.

The Society maintained the authorisation granted to the B.B.C. to broadcast meant that such broadcasts should be received only by people within their own domestic circle.

For the Brewery Co. Sir Arthur Colefax K.C. developed the argument that what happened in the hotel was not a performance within the meaning of the Copyright Act. There was a performance in the cinema at Hamersmith which was head by people outside the cinema by means of wireless.

Lord Justice Romer: Do you say that the only people who performed were those who played at the cinema?

Sir Arthur: Yes. The idea that the copyright owner can authorise a performance in public and then authorise the extension of the number of hearers of the performance is quite wrong. Once he has authorised a performance he has exhausted his right.

Mr. Henn Collins, for the Society, said there was an acoustic representation at the hotel, which was in fact, a public performance. The persons who gave that performance were those who took steps to create the sound brought about by the tuning-in of the wireless set to receive those particular tunes.

Dismissing the appeal, the Court held that there was an effective intervention of a separate kind by the defendants in a performance that was going on. That constituted a separate performance prohibited by the terms of the Copyright Act.—Reuters.

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FREE STATE DEBATE IN HOUSE OF LORDS

London. To-day. The Irish question was raised in the House of Lords by Lord Duncansford, who asked what action was to be taken to protect the undoubted rights a British subject to appeal to the Privy Council. He declared that the recent Irish Free State legislation forbidding such an appeal was a breach of the Treaty.

Lord Carson, who is in poor health and now rarely attends at the House of Lords, received a sympathetic hearing.

He said the Oath had gone, other promised safeguards had been abolished from time to time, and now the last remaining safeguard, namely, appeal to the Privy Council, had gone. He urged that the Government should reconsider the whole question.

Proceeding, he said it was an unavoidable position for any member of the Government to reply to criticisms which he could only say were

undoubtedly justified with regard to a series of actions which he could make no attempt to defend.

The Government had consistently taken the view that, under the terms of what was called the Irish Treaty, it was not competent for the Irish Free State Government, without the refutation of its honourable obligations and disregard of the terms to which it had set its signature, unilaterally to abrogate the right of petition for special leave to appeal to His Majesty in Privy Council.

There had been a long series of legal decisions which laid it down that the right of the subject to petition His Majesty for special leave to appeal could not be taken away by an enactment by the legislature of a Dominion without the express authority of an Imperial statute.

As the validity and effect of the Free State statute might be raised for judicial determination by the Privy Council, it would be improper for him to suggest that he had even an opinion about it. In the absence of a decision to the contrary the Government did not propose to recognise an action taken in breach of the Treaty rights.

After referring to the answer given in the House of Commons by the Dominions Secretary, Mr.

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J. H. Thomas, on Tuesday, he said he believed that there were in the Free State a very large number of people who were jealous of Irish honour and anxious to see the obligations undertaken by them observed.

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